Today

In Mr. Coolidge's Hands Religion in Politics Where Are the Big Men? False, Foolish Economy

Current Events
By Arthur Brisbane

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THE OIL scandal, as far as the public is concerned, is now in the hands of President Coolidge. He has taken full responsibility, pledging himself to go through with it, and to punish the guilty. He prefers to go ahead cautiously, carefully. But the people will not complain of that. He and his party will be judged and rewarded or punished according to results. It is all in Mr. Coolidge's hands.

IT IS SAID, unjustly, of the people, that they demand a scapegoat. They don't demand a scapegoat. But they do want proof that stealing on a wholesale scale, to the tune of a hundred millions is taken seriously by their government.

IF A COLORED employe of the White House had given one of the White House pictures to an outsider, accepting a bribe in cash from the outsider, the White House employe and the outsider would be in jail now. The people see no reason for discriminating in favor of a former Cabinet official who delivers public property, taking a cash bribe in exchange.

IT IS predicted in New York that "Al" Smith, Governor, will be nominated for the Presidency by the Democrats. Governor Smith as it happens is a member of the Catholic Church, and the question is raised, "Can a Catholic be elected President?"

That question should not be raised, in a nation that guarantees protection and respect for all religions. The United States elected Mr. Taft, although he belongs to the Unitarian Church, which denies the divinity of Christ.

THE QUESTION should be, "Is Governor Smith fit for the Presidency," not "Can a Catholic be elected."

General Sherman, who did more than any man except Lincoln and Grant to win the Civil War for the North, was a Catholic. If such a man were nominated, the question of religion would be unimportant.

"What can a man do for the country as President?" and not "What is a man's particular religious belief?" should be the question.

THE STRIKING thing in our national politics is the lack of men the people themselves particularly want for President. This man wants to be President; that other man wants to be President. How does it happen that among 110,000,000 people there is actually not one on whom a majority of the people would unite in saying, "We want that man for President."

Why are there no leaders that command public enthusiasm and support?

It is because the real ability of the country goes into industry, commerce, science, not into politics and the public service.

THE House of Representatives passed a bill for $729,000,000 to provide funds for the postoffice and the treasury and strikes out an item alloting $1,500,000 to maintain an airplane

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THE WEATHER
Boston vicinity—Fair tonight and Friday somewhat warmer Friday; strate to fresh westerly wind
Sun rised 6.43; sets at 5.15.
Moon sets 1.53 a. m.
High tide 6.14 a. m., 6.49 p. m.
Temperature—Maximum, 17 at 9 a. m.; minum, 11 at 7 a. m.; average, 5
Light airbicles at 5:45 p. m.

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NIGHT
LATEST CLOSING STOCKS
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373 CHILDREN ESCAPE FIRE IN DORCHESTER SCHOOL

MARCH OUT AS BLAZE RAGES IN CELLAR

Second Fire Within a Short Time Arouses Parents in Roger Swan District

Fire in the Roger Swan Primary School, Thetford avenue, Dorchester, threatened the lives of the 373 children and ten teachers in the old wooden structure, shortly before noon today. All narrowly escaped.

The first warning the children and teachers had was when the floor of the kindergarten rom on the first floor of the building became so hot the children felt the heat through their shoes.

Through smoke filled halls and withe flames eating their way through the partitions of the ramshackle structure, the pupils marched from the building. It was the second fire in the building in little more than a month.

Before half the children were out of the building the firemen dashed up.

KEEP ON MARCHING.

In almost less time than it takes to tell, they were dragging half a dozen hose into the building.

Though the firemen were rushing about them with hose lines, axes and hand-extinguishers, the marching line of youngsters continued on unbroken and with no sign of panic.

It was a remarkable exhibition of the courage of childhood.

Not a pupil in the building is more than eight years of age.

When the last of the children was safely out of the building they gathered in the school yard and watched the firemen.

But the lack of excitement on the part of the pupils did not extend to their homes.

When news that the school was on fire spread through the neighborhood, frantic mothers rushed through the streets, bareheaded and wildeyed, to

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PUBLIC ZONING HEARINGS
FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 8 P.M.
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 8 P.M.
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 8 P.M.
Council Chamber, 4th Floor, City Hall, School Street
The proposed Zoning Law for the City of Boston will be presented in detail with the aid of maps, plans, diagrams and lantern slides.
Public cordially invited
The City Planning Board
The Zoning Advisory Commission
Room 80, City Hall, Boston

Secret Wedding to Ex-Official Bared

Cambridge Girl Elopes to Providence With Ex-Treasurer F. J. Burrell

Fall Accused by Publisher

MRS. FRED J. BURRELL.

ABRAMS MACHINE A FRAUD, SAYS PROBER

This is the fifth of a series of articles on the Abrams method of diagnosis and treatment of disease.

Dr. Albert Abrams, founder of the "Electronic Reactions of Abrams," and inventor of a quantity of complicated electrical apparatus, knew nothing whatever about electricity, according to Hearst's International for January, 1923.

The article, entitled "Albert Abrams, the Wonder of the West," was No. 5 in the series of "Doctors

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BURRELL AND GIRL ELOPE

Ex-State Treasurer and Cambridge Miss of 22 Secretly Wed in Providence

A high school girl, just graduated from the Cambridge High and Latin School, went to work in the State Income Tax department and romance entered into the life of Fred J. Burrell, former State Treasurer.

Today the many personal and political friends of the former treasurer were astonished to earn that he had slipped quietly away to Providence on January 31 and that they had been married as Miss Anna Margaret Hanabury, twenty-two, of No. 58 Fayette street, Cambridge. Burrell is thirty-four.

Fred J. Burrell

The Rev. Edward Sweeney performed the marriage ceremony in the rectory of St. Mary's Catholic Church. Then the couple returned to Boston—and kept mum.

"There was no reason for keeping it secret," said the former State treasurer to a Boston American reporter today, "except that when you get along my age, you get kind of funny about those things."

Burrell said he had known his bride almost since she first went to work for the State. That was four years ago. They had planned to be married earlier, but the tangle of his affairs, in connection with the bank failures, he said, delayed matters. Finally, however, they decided to wait no longer an dslipped quietly away to Providence.

Witnesses to the marriage were Joseph Cook and Helena F. McCarthy.

Burrell served three terms in the Massachusetts Legislature as Representative from Medford. After he was elected State Treasurer, he became a storm centre when several trust companies failed. It was charged that he favored certain banks over others in depositing State funds. He was forced to resign.

The couple, Burrell said, will live in Medford, following their return from the honeymoon.

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QUIZ SHAW ON GIFTS TO GIRL

Candy Man Questioned on Relations With Women in Contest Over Will

Interrogatories of a sensational nature inquiring into alleged "relations" of Charles N. Shaw, former candy manufacturer, with the former Miss Lillian Forsaith, now Mrs. Isaac N. Angell, one-time clerk in the West street shop of Page & Shaw, Inc, were filed in Suffolk Probate Court today by Fletcher Ranney, Dudley P. Ranney and Thomas Allen, Jr., counsel of the late Mrs. Shaw.

Propounding of the interrogatories followed the filing of a suit by Shaw against the executor yesterday, to recover $50,000 in cash and bonds, declared by Shaw to be in a safety deposit box used by him and his wife jointly. He claims them as his personal property and alleges that Executor Ranney has refused to deliver them into his hands.

QUESTIONED ABOUT GIRL.

Shaw was cut off in his wife's will with a bequest of $10,000, while personal property totalling $103,000 was left to Albert W. Myer, an employe, on condition that he would care for her pet dog.

Also in the interrogatories, in which he did not conceal $200,000 from his wife and declare to "at least one person" that the money

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Best Radio Features Today

MUSIC COURSE.
WEAF, New York (492 Meters)
12:45—Course in chamber music inaugurated from the Hunter College, New York.
RADIO BEAUTY CONTEST
WLW, Cincinnati (309 Meters)
11:00—First radio beauty contest, with special prizes to voters.
CONCERT
WNAC, Shepard Stores, Boston (278 Meters)
8:00 p. m.—Soloists and orchestral trio at studio. 9:00 p. m., Loew's State Theatre orchestral program from theatre.

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10c tube treats 4 pairs. Ask your dealer, or remit 10c to Korite Products, Inc., Cambridge, Mass.—Advt.

Fines for 35 Autoists Lashed by Court as Traffic Hogs

"You motorists can't 'hog' the downtown streets; they were intended primarily for business, not as open-air garages," said Judge Dowd in Municipal Court today as he fined 35 men $5 and $10 each for violation of the new traffic rules.

Traffic Division Captain Bernard J. Hoppe testified that all the men against whom complaints were made had previously warned.

One of those fined was William Anagnosti who claimed he is connected with the Greek consulate.

EELS CLOG FIRE HOSE; LOSS IS $250,000

Melting Product Drives Firemen Into Trees as They Battle With Flames

Hanover, Feb. 14.—Slippery, writhing eels, thick mud and tangled telephone and telegraph wires snarled up the firemen of half a dozen towns, and a "tidal wave" of burning, melting crude rubber drove them into trees today during a $250,000 fire in the huge Hanover Four Corners plant of the E. H. Clapp Rubber Company.

The storehouse of the plant and a number of freight cars standing on a siding were destroyed, while the workhouse of the factory were badly burned.

Firemen who were relieved by others today after pouring thousands of tons of water on the burning crude rubber, with no apparent effect, declared the fire would continue for at least a week before the flames burned themselves out.

When a Brockton company reached the scene and laid its lines, a hole was chopped in the ice of

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LEASE TO SINCLAIR 'FIXED'

Chicago Publisher Says Fall Arranged Deal Before Taking Office

Washington, Feb. 14.—While Frank A. Vanderlip waited to testify regarding his reference to the sale of President Harding's Marion Star, the Senate oil committee produced a fresh flock of sensations today from other witnesses.

John C. Shaffer, publisher of the Chicago Post and other newspapers, testified that Secretary Fall had told him in March, 1921, the very month he entered the Cabinet, that he was going to lease Teapot Dome to Harry Sinclair. **At that time Teapot was not yet under Mr. Fall's jurisdiction.**

Mr. Shaffer told also how he himself had not a one-eighth interest in the Pioneer Oil Company, a Standard Oil subsidiary, in connection with the Teapot lease, and "gave up nothing" in return. He had an old claim pending, he said, and **Secretary Fall promised, merely for the asking, that he would be taken care of.**

DENIAL BY DAUGHERTY.

A letter by H. Foster Bain, director of mines, written before the leases were made, and put into the committee record, declared that the writer "understood" that Attorney-General Daugherty had given an informal opinion upholding the validity of the leasing policy. Mr. Daugherty previously has denied he gave any opinion. The letter, addressed to Secretary Fall, suggested a written opinion be asked from the

Turn Over

3 SECRET INDICTMENTS IN CAMBRIDGE

Three secret indictments were returned by the Middlesex grand jury in session today. Shortly after City Auditor Edward T. Taylor of Cambridge, appeared before Judge Jesse G. Brown with the auditor's book of Cambridge for 1920 and 1921. Judge Brown ordered the books impounded.

BANK STATEMENT TODAY

Bos. Cl.	70,000,000	Bos. Bal.	20,000,000
Bos. Bal.	20,000,000	Bos. Cl.	70,000,000
N. Y. Cl.	954,000,000	N.Y. Bal.	80,000,000
N. Y. Bal.	80,000,000	N.Y. Cl.	954,000,000

BANK STATEMENT YESTERDAY

Bos. Cl.	47,000,000	Bos. Bal.	15,000,000
Bos. Bal.	15,000,000	Bos. Cl.	47,000,000
N. Y. Cl.	954,000,000	N.Y. Bal.	109,000,000
N. Y. Bal.	109,000,000	N.Y. Cl.	954,000,000

Read It Today on Page 13—CHICKIE—The Story of a Boston Girl

FALL PUT O. K. ON OIL LAND LEASES

DAUGHERTY'S OPINION NOT NEEDED, HE SAID

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Attorney-General, but added that "I realize the objections to asking such an opinion."

Oscar Sutro, counsel for the Standard Oil Company of California, testified that he had suggested to Assistant Secretary Finney of the Interior Department that an opinion be obtained from Mr. Daugherty, but that Mr. Finney replied that Secretary Fall thought it "unnecessary" to take such a step.

SOMETHING FOR SHAFFER.

E. C. Finney, Assistant Secretary of the Interior, testified that his recollection was that Secretary Fall told him a short time before the Teapot Dome lease was announced that arrangements had been made with Sinclair to give some land in the reserve to Shaffer.

Finney said he disagreed with Sutro, who held there was no legal authority for the Fall leases. He could not recall all the circumstances, but said he would not deny Sutro's testimony as to their talk about the reasons for not asking Daugherty for an opinion.

"My superior having decided upon a policy," Finney said, "it wasn't up to me."

Finney said there had been so-called "bids" for the offset wells in the California Naval Reserve and the Pearl Harbor tankage project. The bidders included the Standard Oil Company of California, the Associated Oil Company and the Doheny Company.

Asked directly why Attorney-General Daugherty was not asked for an opinion, Finney said the secretary did not regard it as necessary. He said the Teapot Dome contract was handled "very largely" by Secretary Fall.

WITHHELD BY FALL.

The real reason why the Teapot lease announcement was held up, Finney said, was because Fall didn't want it made public until the Doheny lease to the California reserve had been agreed upon.

Finney disclosed that the question as to the legality of the leasing program never was referred to Interior Department solicitors. He said he was very certain the program was legal.

Explaining how he came to sign the Doheny Pearl Harbor contract, Finney said Fall was in New Mexico and wired him to sign, after the Secretary had studied the summary of bids sent to him at his home.

He said the lease negotiations were conducted in "the manner of private negotiations," and added:

"I would not have handled them that way. It impressed me as a wrong way."

Fall left Washington for his New Mexico ranch immediately after signing the Teapot Dome lease, Finney testified. He could not say where it was signed.

Senator Walsh led in questioning Sutro. He asked whether the witness knew of the advertisement issued by the Navy Department for the construction of oil storage tanks at Pearl Harbor.

"I do," replied Sutro, "I do not think we made a formal bid.

"My recollection is that the proposal was referred to me by either the president or vice-president of our company with the usual request that I pass on it. A part of my functions was to attend to these matters and pass upon the sufficiency of the proposal, whether its acceptance would constitute a legal contract, and the usual request for any comment I might make."

As a result of the testimony the committee instructed its secretary to search the files of the Department of Justice.

NAVY WAS TOLD.

Sutro read the formal opinion which he delivered to his company under date of January 27, 1922, in which he held that the act of June 4, 1920, did not authorize the Secretary of the Navy to exchange fuel oil for anything except fuel oil. Exchange for any other thing, the opinion continued, would defeat "the intent of Congress," in passing the act authorizing the secretary to work the naval oil reserves.

"Was the Navy Department advised of this opinion?" asked Senator Walsh.

"I know they were advised of our attitude. I don't think they were given a copy of the opinion."

INTEREST IN PIONEER.

John C. Shaffer, publisher of the Chicago Evening Post, and a number of other papers, was also questioned about a reputed grant to him of a one-eighth interest in the Pioneer Oil Company, a Standard subsidiary, "for services rendered."

Senator Walsh produced what he said was a record of proceedings of directors of the Pioneer Company making such a grant.

Shaffer said he never heard of those proceedings. He did hold an eighth interest in the company, however, he said, but had sold it.

Asked what service he had rendered, the witness replied: "None."

He added that he had had land adjoining Teapot Dome.

Shaffer said his payment from the Pioneer Company came out of the $1,000,000 paid that company by the Sinclair interests.

GAVE UP NOTHING.

"The Pioneer people felt we had a common interest in the Teapot holdings in case the Dome ever was thrown open to the public," he continued. "They made the proposal to give it to me. I gave up nothing. It was their idea."

A letter to Assistant Secretary Finney from Shaffer dated April 9, 1922, was put into the record. In it the publisher said he had "a personal interest in this deal," and added:

"Secretary Fall had arranged with Mr. Sinclair for some acreage for me personally."

Before the letter was read the witness had testified he had no interest in the Sinclair lease.

PROMISED 200 ACRES.

Asked if his memory now was refreshed, he said that back in 1917 he had applied for land on Teapot Dome and later had been promised 200 acres by Fall.

"Was it your opinion that anybody could go to Secretary Fall and demand a share in the Sinclair lease or money for it?" he was asked.

"I think so," Shaffer replied. "He could distribute the interest around just as he saw fit?"

"I think so."

The publisher said under questioning that it was his understanding the land on which he filed in 1917 was not at that time open to leasing.

Asked if it was on the basis of that sort of a claim that he "made a demand" on Fall for some of the Dome, he replied:

"No, not at all. I made no demand. I just urged that I get it."

Shaffer said his recollection was that he got the information that Teapot Dome was to be leased just as soon as anyone else could.

"I did not get it from Mr. Fall," he said.

Adverting to the agreement with Sinclair, the publisher said it was oral and that he was to get 200 acres.

"I wanted to develop it myself, but Mr. Sinclair wanted to do all the developing in Teapot himself. Mr. Sinclair proposed that he set aside 200 acres of land out of the reserve and develop that at his own expense and share the profits 50-50 with me."

Senator Dill pointed out that Frederick G. Bonfils of the Denver Post got "50 per cent. of the deal he made with Stack, while you only got 12½ per cent. of the Pioneer proposition."

"I just wondered whether the difference in the proportion of these two properties you got depended on the difference between the circulation of your two papers," Senator Dill commented.

"Well, there was a little more liberal view," Shaffer replied.

"But I don't want to discuss Mr. Bonfils. We don't publish a paper like he does."

For further developments see later editions of the American.

SCHOOL BLAZE

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see what fate had befallen their little ones.

There were many fathers, too, in the neighborhood who ran hare-headed to the school building to see if their loved ones were safe.

Many a tear-stained face of a loving mother was pressed against the frost-covered, wondering face of her little one as she found her child safe, gazing at the firemen from a safe distance.

Automobiles dashed up to the schoolhouse bearing parents from more distant points.

It is seldom such a scene of thanksgiving is witnessed as was presented in the school yard as parent after parent found the children.

CALL IT DEATH TRAP.

As a result of the fire a wave of indignation is sweeping the neighborhood, and when the school reopens a majority of the desks will be vacant, for the parents are almost unanimous in swearing that they send their children into that death trap again until improvements are made in the school heating plant.

The school is equipped with a signal which automatically turns in a city fire alarm. When the teacher of the kindergarten class hurried to Miss Nichols today and told her the fire in her class room was burning hot, Mia Nichols didn't waste a minute.

She knew what had happened and she sounded the alarm.

The firemen also knew of the menace at the school and they made an unusually fast run.

The fire was confined largely to a closet and the partitions back of a blackboard in the windergarten room and after half an hour's work they succeeded in extinguishing the blaze.

ABANDON FURNACE

James J. Mahon, school house commissioner, when he learned of the fire drove hastily to the scene. After a brief investigation he announced that the furnace which has caused the two fires will never be used again.

"I couldn't find anything the matter with the furnace, but out she goes—two fires in a month in the same building is too many."

Mahar explained that only two rooms were heated with the hot air furnace which apparently caused both the fires. The remaining eight rooms are steam-heated and there is no danger from the steam-heating plant.

Pupils from these two rooms will be placed in a room on the second floor, which is steam heated, until such time as the steam heat can be extended to the first floor room.

At the time of the fire Thomas F. Foley, janitor if the building, T. J. Foley declared that fire was caused by the use of Welsh coal, which generated an excess of gas.

Mr. Taher, after investigation today, delared the fires could not have been caused by the cial. He said he would conduct an investigation.

LABELS POMERENE AS A "BACKSLIDER"

Wahington, Feb. 14 (I.N.S.).—United States Senator Burton K. Wheeler of Montana today charged former United States Senator Atlee R. Pomerene of Ohio with being "a corrupt tion lawyer, a backsliding progressive Democrat," who shamefully defended Isaac Stephenson when his after was shown to have spent $107,73.05 to get into the United State Senate.

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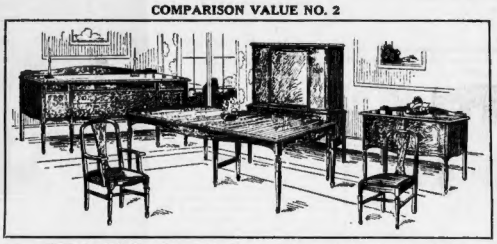

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1 No. 152 Four-Piece Combination Walnut Suite. Usual Retail Price $165..	$125.00	1 No. 200 Three-Piece Combination Walnut Suite. Usual Retail Price $165..	$125.00
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ARDENT MISSIVES CARRIED KISSES TO 'DARLING MANNY'

New York, Feb. 14 (Universal).—The letters from "Margaret to Manny," though not yet introduced in the court proceedings growing out of Mrs. Madeline Modica's half-million-dollar alienation suit against the Countess Roger de Perigny, form an interesting chapter in the newest litigation involving the Thaw family.

Twenty-five letters alleged to have been written by the Countess when she was Mrs. Margaret Carnegie to Victor Emanuel Modica, husband of the plaintiff, were mentioned in the Supreme Court as the basis of Mrs. Modica's alienation suit.

Through these Mrs. Modica hopes to establish that the Countess, sister of Harry Thaw, lured away the affections of her handsome Emanuel through demonstrations of affection and gifts of money.

250 OTHER MISSIVES.

Besides these love letters there are, according to Mrs. Modica's claim, some 250 others. The letters from Margaret to Manny, therefore, figure in the case because of their uncanny similarity in tone and viewpoint to the formally submitted evidence in the case.

The question naturally arises—who is Margaret? Victor Emanuel Modica declares with unbiasing frankness that Margaret is none other than the Countess Perigny and the letters addressed to Victor Emanuel Martinez were really intended for him—he having adopted the other name as a lover's dodge. Officially though, for all of their fervor and affections, this contribution to the literature of the case must be regarded as of mysterious and unknown origin.

COUNTESS MAY TESTIFY.

Supreme Court Justice Wagner listened to argument on the question of whether the Countess should be required to appear in court and answer questions as to her relationship with Modica—once an automobile salesman but now among the unemployed of Newark, N. J.

The Countess' attorneys declared that she could be examined before trial in a case of this sort; furthermore they denied that she had in her possession any such letters as the plaintiff desired to have produced.

Justice Wagner asked that all authority, memoranda and affidavits be submitted to him by four o'clock this afternoon.

Sends 'Lots of Love' to 'Honey;' Yearns to Hear His Voice

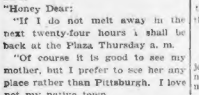
Parts of these letters are as follows:

"Honey Dear;

"If I do not melt away in the next twenty-four hours I shall be back at the Plaza Thursday a. m.

"Of course it is good to see my mother, but I prefer to see her any place rather than Pittsburgh. I love not my native town.

"Hope all has gone well with you. I shall expect a good report on my return. I've been on the water wagon since I left the Plaza. Am sure you have no such record . . . Must go to town with my mother. Do wish I could keep her from doing so much. She's too old to keep up such a pace. But we cannot make



Mrs. Modica V. E. Modica

others do what we think best for them.

"Lots of love,

"MARGARET."

AWAITS 'PHONE CALL.

This letter, written "aboard the steamer Juanita," bears the date of July 23, 1923:

"My Dear Mary:

"Homeward bound as you see by the letter head. You know, dear, I am rather worried about you. Have you been sick or away from home—or forgotten me? I've got exactly two letters from you since I left you at the garage on Fifty-second street, two weeks ago.

"I sent you a wireless asking you to telephone next Friday noon (12). It will be good to hear your voice again. I can hear your long drawn out, Hello, H-e-l-l-o' I will be glad to be back once more with YOU and Peiquet."

LOTS OF GOOD TIMES.

"Manny Darling: I imagine you have been just as hot as I have been all this day—perhaps hotter, for you no doubt have had some alcohol, while I have not had one drop.

"Early in the day I got a lot of cigarette ashes in my eye and even now it continues to come out little by little. I am doing a Buttes-Cadillac combination on it, and expect to have two good lamps by tomorrow or so. . . . Is anything more forlorn than a small town hotel bedroom. This one is clean—I'll say that for it, and it has the necessary furniture, but the atmosphere is not over cheering.

"I see on the desk a Bible placed in this hotel by the Gideons. Who were the Gideons—Elks or what?

"Remember, dear, you can write more letters than you have typewritten envelopes. Don't let those envelopes I gave you cramp your style. . . . We have lots of good times, haven't we, dear? Perhaps there are more in store, I hope so.

"Ever lovingly, Margaret."

"My Dear Manny:

"While out alone in the Cadillac boy riding this A. M. I stopped and mailed one letter to you from Falmouth.

"Each time I go away it is harder, I miss you more. Keep on writing. I shall telegraph you when to stop, as I have not decided yet when I shall leave. I don't like to run away too soon, especially as I have not been here for three years.

"Good night, darling. Your loving, "Margaret."

DEPENDS ON LETTERS.

Another letter from Woods Hole, dated August 9, read:

"Dearest Manny:

"I am getting as dependent on your daily letter as you are on your daily drink, and tomorrow I shall not have any, I know, as the P. O. will be closed for the President's funeral (Harding's), and I am going to feel lost and sad.

"Honey, don't be afraid of my falling in love with anyone here. I have only my relatives and the Dutch pianist, who is staying in the house, and he, while perfectly pleasant, is not the sort to lose one's heart to. He is fat—but does play wonderfully.

"My mother writes that the roads around her place are practically impassable for automobiles, so when I go I shall go by train, and not by motor as I had promised.

"I am afraid I have forgotten how to dance. You will have to break me in all over again. . . . Now keep on writing—don't weaken. Remember you have brought me to depend on your daily letter. If I can't be with you I want to hear from you.

"Good night, dear, and a kiss from your Margaret."

Here is another letter sent from Woods Hole, in which the writer sent "Manny" a kiss:

"Manny Dear:

"Tomorrow I must slip out in the Cadillac and telegraph you not to mail any letters after Sunday p. m., as I am leaving here Tuesday a. m. early and am taking the Shore Route, and shall spend the night probably at New London and get back to Plaza Wednesday afternoon. Will you telephone me Wednesday any time after 2:30? Then my maid is sure not to be in my room, and we can talk and arrange for an outing for Thursday. . . .

"It will be good to be back, where I can hear your voice over the telephone, and, better still, go out on one of those lovely dancing evenings with you, dear. . . . Expect to find me a few shades darker and, I fear, a few pounds heavier; but otherwise just as I left you.

"Good night, darling. A kiss from your loving MARGARET."

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BELIEVE SCHOOLGIRL RAN AWAY TO WED

Providence, R. I., Feb. 14.—Police have been asked to find Miss Caroline McLeod, seventeen-year-old high school girl of Usquepaugh, who disappeared Tuesday. Her parents believe she ran away to wed William Abbott, a freight agent for the New Haven at Kingston. The girl was a student at South Kingston High School. Abbott has been granted leave of absence for a month and cannot be located. The girl's parents received a letter from their daughter mailed in Westerly on Tuesday, but no trace of the girl was found there.

1,000 ARRESTS IN VICE CRUSADE IN ST. LOUIS

St. Louis, Feb. 14.—The police campaign to "clean up the city" since Monday has resulted in the arrest of more than one thousand persons, ninety of them women.

Plunges to Death

DIAGRAM OF FATALITY.
Photo shows how Joseph McCue of South Boston fell thirty feet to his death while rigging a radio aerial from a window of his home. Inset is Mrs. Effie Harscrad, who witnessed the mishap and called for help.

MAN FALLS TO DEATH WHILE RIGGING RADIO

So. Boston Resident Plunges From Window; Dies of Fractured Skull

Joseph McCue, thirty-six years old, fell to his death when he slipped out a window of his home, No. 295 Silver street, South Boston.

McCue was in the window rigging up a radio aerial. While he worked Miss Nellie Hasselbrad, No. 443 West Broadway, watched him from her window.

It was Miss Hasselbrad who saw him lose his hold and then fall into space.

Screaming for help, Miss Hasselbrad ran to the yard, thirty feet below, where she found McCue lying in a heap, unconscious.

Mrs. Margaret McCue, wife of Joseph, was the second to reach his side. McCue was taken to the Carney Hospital, where he was pronounced dead from a fractured skull and broken neck.

McCue was a Boston Elevated conductor.

RECOGNITION HINGES ON COMING ELECTION

Washington, Feb. 14 (I.N.S.).—Diplomatic relations with Honduras will be resumed when a constitutional form of government is set up, no matter who is elected president, it was stated officially today.

Three candidates are in the field, General Tiburcio Carlas, Dr. Jose Arias and Lopez Gutierrez, head of the de facto government which is now nominally in control. Diplomatic relations were broken off because the promise of the de facto government to hold an election immediately had not been carried out.

SWEARS TO AVENGE SISTER

Brother of Slain Louise Lawson Takes Oath to Track Down Her Slayers

Alvaredo, Texas, Feb. 14 (I.N.S.).—A vow of vengeance—of unceasing search for the murderer of his "golden butterfly" sister—was sworn over the body of Louise Lawson here today by Norman Lawson, Dallas attorney, as he looked for a last time on the slain girl's face just before the funeral services.

"The murderer of Louise Lawson shall pay. We shall strive unceasingly to that end."

This was his statement—and the pledge of a lifetime for the Normans and the Lawsons, pioneers of Texas, has been made.

Louise's body rested in a bed of roses here today in the freshly painted little church at the end of Main street. There the coffin nestled in a great bank of roses before the altar.

The coffin was not opened for the hundreds of friends and curiosity seekers who thronged the church and overflowed the streets for the burial services this morning.

Every place of business was closed. The town was crowded with visitors.

Miss Lawson will come to a final rest in the family plot at Elmwood cemetery. Here a grave was prepared among the graves of the Normans, grandparents and great-grandparents on her mother's side.

Seek Clew to Murder by Tracing Jewels

New York, Feb. 14.—Down in the little town of Alvaredo, Texas, all that is mortal of beautiful Louise Lawson was consigned to the grave today.

Six days ago her body was taken from her apartment at No. 22 West Seventy-second street and with not the slightest clew to the identity of her slayers. Detectives admit that in all probability the secret of her tragic death is locked forever in the coffin with her.

In the faint hope that the men who took her life, hard pressed for funds, may seek to dispose of the jewelry they stole from her apartment, police have sent to pawnbrokers in New York, New Jersey and Pennsylvania, a detailed description of the gems.

From this list it is obvious her stolen possessions had a far greater value than the original estimate of $1,000—the amount is closer to $12,000.

Close friends of Miss Lawson rallied to the defence of her name yesterday.

Miss Lawson was not a Broadway butterfly, they declared indignantly, and cared little for the gayety of the white lights.

Although champagne and white lilies were found in her apartment Miss Lawson never consumed any, asserted a young woman who was her closest friend.

She described Miss Lawson as being highly intellectual, possessing a mature knowledge of almost any subject that Gerhard M. Dahl, multi-millionaire traction magnate, or any other of her men friends cared to discuss with her.

PULITZER'S WIFE SEEKING DIVORCE

Paris, Feb. 14 (I.N.S.).—Mrs. Ralph Pulitzer, wife of the millionaire publisher of the New York Morning and Evening World has filed suit for divorce in the Seine Tribunal, it was learned this afternoon.

Previously it had been understood that a joint petition had been filed for mutual divorce.

Pulitzer, who is a son of the late Joseph Pulitzer, of New York and St. Louis, was married to Miss Frederica Vanderbilt Webb, of New York, October 14, 1905.

At the offices of the New York World it was announced that Pulitzer is now in Paris.

PRESIDENT OF 'STRIKE' SEMINARY RESIGNS

Albany, Feb. 14.—The resignation of President M. G. L. Reitz of Hartwick Seminary was accepted at a meeting of the board of trustees which continued from 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon until 5:30 o'clock this morning, it was announced today by Rev. Charles Lee, chairman of the board. In a statement, Rev. Mr. Leitzell said he would go to the seminary today to report the action of the board and see that the school, closed by a student strike since Friday, was reopened at once.

SPRING WHEAT COST HERE ABOVE CANADA'S

Washington, Feb. 14.—The cost of producing hard Spring wheat in the United States last year ranged from 55 cents to $2.19 a bushel, while in Canada it ranged from 33 cents to $1.19, the Tariff Commission found in its investigation in connection with the application for an increase in the wheat tariff.

Barbara La Marr Breaks Down at Mention of Arbuckle

Film Star and Her No. 5 Part; May Be No. 6

Hollywood, Cal., Feb. 14 (Copyright, 1924, C.N.S.).—Everybody along Hollywood Boulevard is sympathizing with beautiful Barbara La Marr in the new and perplexing turn her domestic problems have taken.

"Babs" and husband No. 5—or is it No. 6?—the six-foot, red-haired Jack Daugherty, are occupying separate apartments now.

One of the newspapers said "Babs"

"BABS" AND PRESENT HUSBAND

Noted movie actress excused by judge when she says tears prevent her reading divorce complaint by former husband naming "Fatty" Arbuckle and six others as co-respondents. Row with Jack Daugherty, her latest mate, leads to rumor she has a new hubby in view.

lawyer had advised her to do this because of the doubtful legality of her marriage to Daugherty. Another Los Angeles paper printed a story that "Babs" and Jack had a hand-to-hair battle at the Warmore Ball in San Francisco and that when the battle was renewed later in her palatial home on Whitley Heights here she dramatically ordered him from the house and told him not to return.

NEW HUBBY IN VIEW.

There was a whisper along the boulevard that another husband was in prospect for "Babs" if she could find a legal way of unscrambling her various marriages. I hear that the next husband may be a singer protege of "Babs" and Jack, a young fellow they brought with them when they returned recently from New York and who has been making his home with them.

Court had to take a recess while "Babs" recovered from a fit of sobbing during her testimony in one trial of Herman Roth, attorney charged with attempting to extort money from Arthur H. Sawyer, her business manager.

CRIES AGAIN.

Overcome with emotion, the actress said she couldn't read through her tears when asked to identify a divorce complaint in which her husband, N. Bernard Deely, named Roscoe Arbuckle and six others as co-respondents.

"Babs" again broke down during an examination as to her contract with Sawyer, and was excused by the judge.

Another feature of the trial, which is now on, is testimony of Sawyer that Roth had offered to suppress his amended divorce complaint on a compromise of $25,000. Sawyer said Roth had produced an affidavit from another actress, who attributed to "Babs" a description of Sawyer as a "perfect lover, though you would never think it."

MARILYN AND FLO ON SANDS AT PALM BEACH

Palm Beach, Fla., Feb. 14.—"Sally" and her former manager, Florenz Ziegfeld, sat a few feet apart on the bathing beach here, but nobody observed them in conversation. It was the first appearance on the beach of Marilyn Miller.

Jack Pickford, her husband, was here, too, adding much color to the beach comedy with his pink and white and gray bathrobe.

BOY COASTER IS CRUSHED UNDER TROLLEY CAR

Roxbury Youth Near Death at Hospital; He May Lose Both of His Legs

With both legs terribly crushed, five-year-old Matthew Brennan of No. 12 Rockland street, Roxbury, is near death at the City Hospital, the result of being run down by a Warren Street trolley car.

The accident occurred at the intersection of Warren and Rockland streets, near the boy's home.

The youngster was sliding on the ice and slid directly in front of the trolley, one of the wheels passing over his legs before the motorman could stop the car.

The boy was placed in a passing automobile and taken to the hospital, where physicians say he has but slight chance of recovery. It is feared it will be necessary to amputate both of the boy's legs.

Mill Cuts Schedule

Whitinsville, Feb. 14.—The Whitinsville Spinning Ring Company, makers of textile rings, has placed its factories on a four-day-a-week schedule, it was announced today, on account of depression in the textile industry. The company had been operating on a five-day schedule.

Ho! Winter Sports Trip Feb. 20-25 TO OLD QUEBEC
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WIFE BEATS UP HUSKY HUSBAND

Judge Finds Her Guilty of Waging Family War, but Defers Action in Case

Mrs. Alice Jenner, No. 23 Centre street, Roxbury, is not very large, but what she lacks in weight she makes up in aggressiveness.

At least this was the substance of her husband's testimony when the couple appeared today in Roxbury Court before Judge Palmer.

Herbert Jenner, the husband, who weighs 200 pounds or forty pounds more than his wife, accused the latter of attacking him.

"She beat me up something fearful the other morning," he complained. "She punched my nose, scratched my face and then spit on me. It got too warm for me about the house, so I left. As I went out she lifted me on the head with a bowler can."

His battling wife told a different story.

"He is never at home. He never comes in before midnight," she said. "He never gives me money to pay the bills with. I stick right in the kitchen, cook and take care of the baby. The other morning when he came in, about 1 o'clock, he pulled me out of bed and hurt me. Then I turned loose on him."

Judge Palmer found the wife "guilty," but continued the case until next week for disposition, assigning Probation Officer Mrs. Celia Lappen to investigate.

125 PRIESTS ATTEND J. F. DALEY'S FUNERAL

Funeral services for James F. Daley, a deputy in the office of the City Collector of Boston for a quarter of a century, and father of the Rev. James M. Daley, chaplain of Mary Cliff Academy, Arlington, were held this morning at St. Joseph's Church, Orient Heights. Mr. Daley died at his home, No. 91 Orient avenue, East Boston, Monday night. Among those attending the funeral ceremony were 125 priests from all sections of Massachusetts and 200 of Mr. Daley's fellow employes at City Hall. Burial was in Holy Cross Cemetery.

X-Ray Autopsy Points to Murder of Girl 3000 Years Ago

Minneapolis, Feb. 14.—An inquiry to determine whether she had been done to death has been started by the discovery that Lady Tesha, daughter of the doorkeeper of the Golden House of Amon, died 3,000 years, had hardly a whole bone in her body.

The body, or mummy, is in the Minneapolis Institute of Arts. X-ray plates showed that Lady Tesha's head was severed and that several bones were misplaced and broken.

It may be that Tesha, a maiden of 14 years, was crushed to death for a fancied wrong.

HEFLIN DENIES HE WAS A KLANSMAN

Washington, Feb. 14.—A flat denial that he was or ever had been a member of the Ku Klux Klan was made in the Senate today by Senator Heflin, Democrat, Alabama, in the course of an address regarding his proposed investigation of alleged Texas land frauds.

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BARS PUT UP ON KLAN MEETINGS IN CRANSTON

Mayor and Police Chief Announce Ban Following Recent Gathering

Cranston, R. I., Feb. 14 (I.N.S.)—Mayor Arthur A. Rhodes and Police Chief James Cuff today served warning that any future attempts to hold Ku Klux Klan meetings in Cranston would not be tolerated.

The announcement follows the breaking up of a K. K. K. meeting by the police Tuesday night. At that meeting about 150 persons gathered in a Cranston hall.

BOSSIE LAYS HIS MANN ACT ARREST TO PLOT

New York, Feb. 14.—Claude F. Bossie, former city clerk of Omaha, Neb., who was arrested for violation of the Mann Act when he and Marion Walmsley, his third wife, disembarked from the Berengaria, declared before U. S. Commissioner Hitchcock today that his arrest was part of a political scheme to ruin him, by his enemies in Omaha and Kansas City, where the charges were laid. He waived examination. Officials said he would be taken to Kansas City.

Department of Justice agents declared Bossie married the third time before being wholly divorced from his second wife, Maybelle McKeon, an actress. He declared that his wedding last December 22 was legal.

Slugged and Robbed

MRS. ANNA HENDRICKSON

LANDLADY CLUBBED AND ROBBED OF $175

Miss Anna Hendrickson, 52 years old, proprietor of the lodging house at No. 28 Dartmouth street, had been suspicious of the two well-dressed young men who six weeks ago hired one of her upper rooms.

A loud call from the upper part of the house brought Miss Hendrickson to the apartment of the lads, who complained that there was something wrong with the gas jet."

While she was busy with the gas fixture one of the men struck her on the back of the head with a temporary shelf and when she fell to the floor stunned, both went through her clothing, found $175, and disappeared.

Mary Was Contrary

Mary Cassetta of Huntington avenue was sentenced to one month in the House of Correction by Judge Dowd today. She battled Policeman George Smith after being instructed to cease blocking Hanover street. She drew a fine of $5 for profanity.

SHAW QUIZZED ON GIRL IN WILL FIGHT

Candy Man Questioned About Gifts to Young Woman Said to Be an Ex-Employe

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was for his "little girl, meaning Miss Lillian Forsaith."

In another question he is asked to specify what money or property he has given or spent directly or indirectly on the former Miss Forsaith.

Still later he is asked if his wife did not become jealous over the "attentions" to Miss Forsaith and if his wife, at one time, did not order him out of their house in Chestnut street because he had the former Miss Forsaith and her husband visiting there.

Following are some of the questions propounded:

"Do you know a Mrs. Angell, formerly Miss Lillian Forsaith, and if so, how many years have you known her and where did you first meet her?

"Is it not the fact that up to the time of your meeting Miss Forsaith, your wife and you had been on friendly and affectionate terms?

HURT WIFE JEALOUS.

"Is it not the fact that you became friendly with Miss Forsaith some years prior to your starting your New York branch or business?

"Is it not the fact that, little by little, you became more friendly with Miss Forsaith and spent part of your time in her company?

"State in full how and where you met Miss Forsaith and just what your relations have been with her from the time up to the time of your wife's death.

"Is it not the fact that after you met Miss Forsaith and had entered into friendly relations with her, your wife became jealous and complained of your relations with Miss Forsaith?

"While you and Mrs. Shaw were living at Haddon Hall did you order Mrs. Shaw out of the place, and if so state fully the cause and occasion of your so doing.

"State in detail your residences and with whom you lived, especially as to the fact of where and when, if ever, you have lived in the same house, apartment or hotel with Miss Forsaith or her family during the twelve years prior to your wife's death.

"State in detail all the presents or payments you have made to Miss Forsaith or to her family, of money, personal property or real estate from the time when you first met her to the date of the death of your wife.

"Is it not the fact that, at the time of the death of your wife, and today, you are living in the same house with Miss Forsaith, now Mrs. Angell?

"Is it not the fact that there is a place in West Scarboro, Me., which is called 'Angelmere,' which you purchased for Miss Forsaith, now Mrs. Angell?

"Did you go to California with Mr. and Mrs. A. Angell in the Winter of 1922 and 1923, and if so please state how long you were gone and where you stayed?"

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EELS CLOG HOSE

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a river that runs through the company grounds.

The pumping engine started and a thick "soup" surged through the nozzle, eventually clogging the line. The firemen discovered they had dropped their line into the river too near the muddy bank.

Meanwhile, the Abington fire fighters had carried their line to the middle of the river, where they cut a hole in the ice. They got a little water at first and then none. Their line was clogged with wriggling eels, sucked up from their Winter home. The firemen abandoned in despair the job of clearing out the hose and laid a new line.

The fire, threatening to spread each minute to nearby houses, forced more than 100 Pembroke and Hanover families to make preparation to flee from their homes.

One death may result through the fire. Reuben Donnell, seventy-five, occupant of a house near the burning factory, was stricken with heart trouble during the excitement and physicians expressed doubt as to his recovery.

Aid in battling the stubborn flames, fed by the crude rubber and many gallons of chemicals used in rubber processes, was summoned from Brockton, Abington, Plymouth, Whitman, Rockland and Abington.

The fire started in the engine room of the huge plant from a cause that has not been determined. The sprinkler system was ineffectual against their sweep.

From the boiler room they swept through the structure, toward the railroad siding, where half a dozen freight cars, loaded with thousands of dollars' worth of crude and purified rubber, were standing. Members of the night shift, with crowbars, shunted these cars out of the danger zone.

A number of other cars melted in the flames, however, and then the blaze leaped across to the big storehouse, where tons of rubber were stored.

Scores of firemen were directing lines on the burning storehouse when one wall crashed down. A great pile of melting rubber rolled out. The fire fighters scrambled into nearby trees till the pile flattened down.

Two loaded freight cars, property of the New Haven road, were destroyed. The site of the plant is a historic one, the anchors for the famous frigate Constitution being forged there during the revolutionary period.

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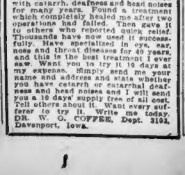

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With spring cushions, springs under cushions, spring back and spring arms. Covered all around in Baker's figured cut velour, in blue and taupe, beaver and taupe, two-tone taupe or two-tone mulberry; or choice of several good quality tapestries. The pieces are beautifully made and have new style, neatly carved legs.

February Sale Prices	*February Sale Prices*	Other great bargains in Living Room Suites:	
Davenport $110.00	The same suite upholstered in mohair all around.	3-Pc. Suite $129.50	And so on to suites as high as $1150.00
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Arm Chair.....$66.00	Wing Chair.....$110.00	3-Pc. Suite $145.50	
or 3 pieces complete, $219.00	Arm Chair.....$100.00	3-Pc. Suite $159.50	
	or 3 pieces complete.....$349.50	3-Pc. Suite $169.50	
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February Sale Price $9.45

Pieces also sold separately. Very attractive because of their neat design and good finish. The unusual low footboards of the beds add to their beauty. *February Sale Price*, when sold separately:

Bureau	$48.50	*Semi-Vanity*	$45.00
Bed, full or twin size	$37.85	*Chiffonette*	$39.00
4 pieces with full size bed (complete)	$159.00	*5 pieces with 2 twin size beds* (complete)	$192.50

Square Tubing Steel Bed, 3 Bend Top

New Design Dining Room Pieces

These pieces are very attractive in design and well finished. They are made of beautiful two-tone walnut combined with other hard woods. Finish like walnut. *February Sale Prices* as follows:

Buffet	$45.00	$48.00
Extension Table	$39.00	$39.00
Set of Chairs, 5 side and 1 arm	$48.00	$48.00
China Closet		$37.50
Serving Table		$15.00
	8-Piece Suite $132.50	*10-Piece Suite* $187.50

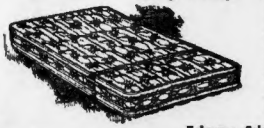
Made in the following finishes: Walnut, mahogany, white or oak, and in the following widths: 3-foot 3 inches, 3-foot 6 inches, 4-foot and 4-foot 6 inches.

February Sale Price — Any finish, any size $14.80

The Chairs are covered in Brown or Blue Leather.

Beds and Bedding

Butysleep Mattress



Perfectly sanitary. 3 layers of White Layer Felt, separated by 2 heavy layers of pure South American HORSE HAIR. The full size mattress weighs 48 pounds. It is covered with high-grade art tickings or the old-fashioned A.C.A. ticking. Every mattress is made with heavy Princess Edge. Made in one or two parts. One of the most comfortable mattresses you can use. It will stand hard service better than any other mattress we know of.

	February Sale Price
4 foot 6 inch width	$27.85
4 foot width	$24.85
3 foot 6 inch width	$21.85
3 foot 3 inch width	$19.85
3 foot width	$18.45
Crib Mattress (any size)	$7.87

St. Elmo Combination Mattress
Made principally of layer cotton felt and rattan fiber. *February Sale Price*.....$10.00

Pure Sea Moss (Kapok) Mattresses
Full weight (32 lbs.). R. H. White Special, $21.45
Roll edge, good ticking. One or two parts.

Princess Pure Sea Moss (Kapok) Mattress
Extra weight and thickness with princess edge and fine ticking. One or two parts....$24.85

Pure South American Hair Mattress
Covered in high-grade hair ticking with princess roll edges.
45 lbs., 4 foot 6 inch width....$36.00
40 lbs., 4 foot width.....$32.00
35 lbs., 3 foot 6 inch width.....$28.00
33 lbs., 3 foot 3 inch width.....$26.00
30 lbs., 3 foot width.....$24.00
The word "combination" means combined with other cabinet woods.

American Felt Mattress
Made of all white layer felt.
February Sale Price $19.85

Special Felt Mattress
Made of all light gray layer felt.
February Sale Price $14.85

3-Piece Bed and Spring with Mattress
This bed is made with heavy 2-inch continuous post and the best National Fabric spring; with an inexpensive, cotton-top, excelsior mattress. *February Sale Price, complete*.....$19.85

White Enamel Steel Crib
With extra high sides and very close fillers with double trip lock.
February Sale Price $12.85

Imperial Sea Moss (Kapok) Mattress
Extra high mattress with 6 rows stitching on the edge (imperial edge). The best Kapok mattress we sell $32.80

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YOUNG WIDOW WINS FIGHT FOR ESTATE

Relatives of Her 71-Year-Old Husband Agree to Settle Estate

Hudson, Feb. 14.—Score another triumph for the dashing young widow.

In this case it is the thirty-year-old widow of Caleb B. Brigham, aged seventy-one, who died three weeks ago, leaving an estate of $35,000.

Nephews and other relatives of Brigham hoisted the white flag in East Cambridge Court, and the fight to oust the widow as the executor of the estate was decided in her favor.

Brigham and his young wife didn't get on well.

They were separated six months ago, and when the aged man died two court actions, brought by his wife were pending.

She had sued for $20,000 which she claims Brigham had promised to settle on her when he married her. The second suit was for non-support.

When attorneys for the relatives withdraw their suit they agreed that the widow should receive 20,000 of the estate. This is on the basis of the widow's right to $5,000, and one-half the remainder of the estate.

The remainder of the estate will be divided between a sister, Mrs. Sarah Hussey, who gets half of what is left after the widow takes her share, and seven nephews and nieces, who will share equally in what is left.

The Brighams were married in 1921. Several days later, the bridegroom went to the Pacific coast. A month later his wife followed.

They returned from the coast in 1922 and then came the separation.

15 NATIONS TAKE UP NAVAL DISARMAMENT

Rome, Feb. 14 (I.N.S.).—Naval experts from fifteen nations met here today under auspices of the League of Nations to discuss naval disarmament. If an accord can be reached a general international conference will be convened to extend the naval disarmament pacts of the Washington conference to powers not represented at Washington.

Soviet Russia is represented by Admiral Behrens, it being the first disarmament conference in which Russia has taken part since the Soviet government was established. Turkey refused to join because the treaty of Lausanne has not yet been officially ratified by the powers. Germany and the United States are not represented.

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A SMALL edition of the famous Fracy Personal Fragrance Package that sells for 3.75. A very convenient and attractive box for the guest room or when traveling. Contains Fracy Best British Soap, Bath Crystals and Bath Dusting Powder. In the following fragrances: Chartreuse, Jubilee, Panel-naia, Silhouette, Jasmine, Rose Antique, Rose Varveine, Violette de Candre.

FRACY BATH CRYSTALS dissolve quickly, perfume and soften the water and help the soap to lather freely. These Bath Crystals are exhilarating to the skin and give a delicate, lingering fragrance. A few crystals are sufficient to perfume and soften a handbasinful of water. A small handful is enough for a bath.

FRACY BEST BRITISH TOILET SOAP is made from the finest materials. Free from all impurities that might dry or injure the skin. Made antiseptic by one of the finest balsams known to the medical profession.

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Many Boston Society Folk Join Aiken Winter Colony, Says Betty Alden

By BETTY ALDEN.

NOW that jolly Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pratt McKean are visiting the Bayard Warrens at Aiken, there's quite a Bostonese atmosphere at the South Carolina resort.

Both the Warrens and the McKeans are leaders among the North Shore's Myopia coterie, where the McKeans are members of the year-round colony.

Mrs. Bayard Warren

Mrs. McKean (Bessie Lee) who is tall and slender and of the distinct brunette type, delighted members of the Shore's Winter contingent with a series of current topics lectures, which she arranged to be held at "Willow Tree Farm," the McKean place at Beverly Farms.

BAYARD WARREN came up to New York from Aiken on Monday for the opening of the Westminster Kennel Club's forty-seventh annual show held at Madison Square Garden.

The sport-loving master of Barberry Hill Kennels, where he raises his cocky little Scalyham terriers, won a fair avalanche of blue ribbons at the canine classic.

His champion, Barberryhill Bootlegger, won first in both the open and winners class. His Barberryhill Dixie won first in the class for American-bred bitches; his Westpark Strike won first in the open and winners class for bitches, and his Barberryhill Brown Betty won third in the novice, for bitches.

A highly creditable showing, to say the least.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren, before going to Aiken, visited for a brief while with Harold ("Mike") Vanderbilt at the latter's Palm Beach villa.

MRS. CLARENCE L. HAY (Alice Appleton), who has a large following along the North Shore, is planning to sail in about a week.

She will spend much of her time traveling in Italy and France, and in Paris, I hear, she will join her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Francis R. Appleton, who sailed for Europe a short while ago.

The Appleton place at Ipswich is known as "Appleton Farms," where the family spend much of their time, though the Winter domicile is in Gotham. Last Fall the Hays occupied the Amos A. Lawrence place on Beaver Pond for the hunting season, being among the keenest followers of the Myopia hounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Hay—she is a striking brunette and most attractive—were present at the dinner-dance which Mr. and Mrs. J. Watson Webb gave in Gotham the other evening. Some 150 guests attended the affair, which was held in Pierre's.

MRS. RUSSELL CODMAN of Marlboro street is of the smart group sponsoring the Aviation Ball being held tonight at the Copley-Plaza.

Mrs. Russell Codman

(Photo by Henry Havlock Pierce)

Others on the committee include Mesdames William Gaston, George R. Fearing and Gardiner H. Fiske.

Society Notes

MRS. EDWIN U. CURTIS of Bay State road is giving a dinner tomorrow evening in the Venetian room of the Hotel Somerset.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Adams and Mrs. Robert Homans are hosts at a dance taking place tonight at the Chilton Club. The affair is in honor of the Misses Harriet Boyden and Margaret Blake, buds of the season.

Andrew W. Hepburn has joined the Boston colony at Camden, S. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis B. McCagg and Miss Augustus McClagg are guests of Mrs. John Nicholas Brown at the latter's Newport home.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Whitman of Hamilton have returned to Palm Beach on board their yacht, the "Altamaha," following a fishing trip to the Keys.

Mrs. Roger W. Cutler of Charles River Village is spending the week in New York at the Hotel Ambassador.

Grafton W. Minot has recently been elected to membership in the Everglades Club at Palm Beach.

MRS. CLARENCE L. HAY

Mrs. Clarence L. Hay (Alice Appleton) of the Gothamites spending much of their time on the North Shore, will sail shortly for abroad. She is shown here in an interesting study by Albert Sterner.

(Drawn by Albert Sterner)

GET $20,000 MORE OF SCHOELLKOPF GEMS

New York, Feb. 14.—One hundred precious stones stolen from Mrs. Hugo C. P. Schoellkopf of Buffalo New Year's eve, 1922, were recovered by the police today from John Mahan, the jeweler to whom they were sold by the thieves. The gems were valued at $20,000. Mahan, indicted for receiving the stolen jewels, recently revealed that $86,000 of them were hidden in a fruit jar in Denver.

Later he gave information that led to the discovery in a local jewel shop of another batch valued at $75,000.

The total value of the gems taken from Mrs. Schoellkopf was estimated at $246,000, of which about $181,000 worth have been recovered.

Shopping with Priscilla Price

She finds the unusual and tells of good values every day

HAVING HEALTHY HAIR

EXERCISE YOUR HAIR DAILY. Brush it every night and morning. Use a brush with long, firm bristles. Hold the brush near the back. Brush upward to loosen the scalp. After every few strokes, rub the brush on an old, clean towel. Hair must be kept clean, with a clean brush. Wash brush every few days in warm, not hot, soapsuds.

FOR DANDRUFF, use a scalp pomade at night, $1.25. Light, or dark. No grease will show in the morning. Good for bald temples.

A TONIC FOR DRY HAIR is $2.00. Another, for oily hair, costs the same. Another very good firm sells tonics for dry or oily hair at $1.50.

FOR FALLING HAIR, after an illness, there is a special remedy. $2.00. It stimulates color cells. Prevents grayness. Makes hair grow.

MASSAGE IS IMPORTANT in using any tonic. Lift the scalp, press and knead it with the finger tips, until it moves freely. Do this until the tonic has dried. Never let your hair be dried with hot air. Sit in the sun when you can.

FOR HAIR THAT IS TURNING GRAY, use a special henna. With a henna shampoo, 50 cents a packet. For blonde, auburn, brown hair. Brings back its natural tone.

AN EGG SHAMPOO sells for 25 cents. Leaves hair free from dryness. Fragrant.

A WAVE LOTION encourages hair to curl. Use with water wavers if your hair is slightly curly. $1.50. Holds any wave longer.

PREVENT FALLING HAIR by using henna shampoo powders. A special one for blondes is 50 cents. Another, for faded Titian hair, is also 50 cents. One to bring out the natural color of the hair, is 50 cents. Keeps hair glossy and fluffy. All have a pleasant odor.

VERY BAD DANDRUFF can be cured by an ointment, $1.50. Should be used with a remedy that feeds the hair follicles and renews the life of the hair, $1.50. Men should use it to prevent baldness.

WEAR A CHIN STRAP at night. Holds the muscles of the face smooth and firm. Corrects lines in front of ears, too. So you won't have saggy lines near your mouth.

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MANLY WANTS 'BREAD TRUST' INVESTIGATED

Charges Profiteers Are Gouging Public at the Rate of $1,000,000 a Day

Washington, Feb. 14 (AP).—A report charging nation-wide profiteering in bread and that creation of a "colossal bread trust is impending" was submitted today by Basil M. Manly, director of the people's legislative service, to Senator La Follette of Wisconsin, its chairman, and "other progressive Senators and Representatives."

The report, which was outlined in an announcement by the organization, recommended congressional action "to deflate bread prices and check the growth of the bread trust."

An investigation of wheat and bread prices, made at the request of the Senators and Representatives to whom the report was submitted, showed, it was said, that the American people are paying "a million dollars a day" too much for their bread.

The average retail price of bread in the United States is 9 cents a pound, whereas on the basis of the present wheat prices it should be 5 cents, the report said, adding that bread made with American flour is now selling in England at an average price of 4 cents a pound.

Asserting millers, bakers and retailers were all making "enormous" profits, the report cited as an example one of the two largest wholesale baking corporations in the country, as a result of the profits made by this company, it was said, "one dollar invested in its common stock in 1916 is now worth $300."

URGES UNITY UPON CANADO-AMERICAINE

Manchester, N. H., Feb. 14 (I.N.S.).—"Instead of uniting to act we must act to unite," declared Elphege J. Daignault of Woonsocket, R. I., general president of the Association Canado-Americaine at the grand installation of the officers of the Court St. Georges of that organization here today.

Stowaway Yodelers Arrive Clad Only in Dungarees

The Swiss bell ringers and yodelers arrived in Boston today, but they can't stay here. They came from Tampico, Mex., as stowaways and will be deported.

Clad only in dungarees, blankets were necessary before they could be transported to the Immigration Station in East Boston, in the below freezing temperature.

The stowaways are Frederick and Armin White, aged 26 and 28 years. They were born in Zurich and learned bell ringing and yodeling in their youth. Three years ago they went to Mexico and stayed until the latest Mexican revolution began.

Things went from bad to worse with them until they finally found themselves in Tampico, without bells, stage settings, and everything save two suits of dingy dungarees, chronic appetites and oodles of yodels.

10 FLEE FIRE IN SALVATION BARRACKS

Captain Thompson and Family Have Narrow Escape in Marlboro Blaze

Marlboro, Feb. 14.—Salvation Army Captain Abraham Thompson, his wife and their three small children and five other occupants of Salvation Army headquarters in Main street, narrowly escaped death early today when fire and smoke swept up through the two-and-one-half story structure while they were sleeping.

Capt. Thompson, who is ill with pneumonia, was forced to leave bed and make his way to the street by the rear exit. The ten occupants were cared for at the Hotel Gleason.

Fireman Thomas Burns, while blinded by smoke, fell through a trap door and suffered sprains and body bruises.

The fire started in the boiler room and resulted in a damage of $5500 to the structure.

ARTIFICIAL LEG BRINGS BRITON TO AMERICA

Arrives on Devonian to See the Nation Which Produced Such a Perfect Machine

The big Leyland liner Devonian, formerly the White Star liner Cretic, arrived in port from Liverpool today with only fourteen passengers.

The European immigrant quotas having all been exhausted until June 30 next, steamship companies will Boston.

have a period of lean months as to passengers before the immigration rush begins again in July.

Among the Devonian's passengers was John Freeman, a Hereford, Eng., photographer who is coming here to visit relatives in New Bedford and who proudly displayed an American artificial leg which was the chief reason for his coming to America. He wanted to see a nation that could produce such a perfect machine, he said.

Mr. Freeman was wounded at the battle of the Somme and was picked up twenty-four hours later by an American ambulance and carried to an American hospital. He was six months in the hospital and was given the artificial leg when he was discharged.

Other passengers were Mr. and Mrs. William J. Bennett of Providence, Miss Gladys Davis of Rochdale, Mrs. M. T. Greenwood of New Bedford and Mrs. M. E. Jackson of

Kornfeld's SPECIALTY BASEMENT

New Hats of Straw and Silk $2.95

A Specialty Basement value in hats for wear now! All the wanted spring colors, including the popular black and white and black and lacquer red combinations. Another great opportunity to select popular styles at a real saving. 1000 other hats to choose from up to $4.50.

Newest Frames and Materials at All Times

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Headline Values in Our February Furniture Sale

Charm---Quality Construction---Good Savings and Easy Payments Are Chief Facts for Home-Makers

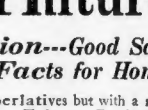
Without the all-too-common blare and blah of superlatives but with a really conscientious effort to offer dependable furniture at extra low prices, our February Furniture Sale is forging ahead and breaking each week's records. Our unusually complete and attractive display of living room suites is particularly worthy of your attention.

Colonial Buffets $29.98

Of handsome design, made throughout of beautiful figured quartered oak, exceptionally good grade.

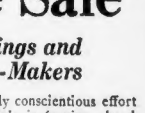
Ivory Crib, $13.50

One of the finest cribs made, high safety sides and ends, non-rustable spring. No need to worry about baby when he is safely tucked away in this fine crib.



Metal Bed $14.50

All steel bed, with heavy 2-inch continuous post, heavy filler and 2 steel cane panels, in white enamel, oak, mahogany and walnut finishes.



Davenport Table $17.50

Handsome up-to-date table with 18x60-inch top and heavy turned legs, finished in rich imitation mahogany.

Inviting Kaltex Fibre Suite $78.50

An outstanding value. Handsome and sturdy and always so restful. Richly finished in brown with the celebrated Nachman spring-filled cushions on spring seats. Covered in fine grade cretonne. Easy Payments.

Beautifully Finished Bed Room Suite $95

This unusual three-piece suite is in combination walnut. It consists of a full size dresser, large chifforobe and bow-foot bed. Remember we guarantee every piece of Furniture we sell, regardless of how low the price may be. Easy Payments.

JIMMY GARDNER IN AS DRUNKEN DRIVER

Jimmy Gardner, former middleweight fistic champion, was in Municipal Court today charged with drunkenness and operating an automobile while under the influence of liquor. A friend, John Sutton, of Huntington avenue, was charged with drunkenness. Both cases were continued. Policeman Kinsman arrested them after the machine Gardner was driving is alleged to have struck the platform from which the officer was directing traffic.

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Feel a Bad Cold Loosen Right Up When Rowles Red Pepper Is Used

Ease your tight, aching chest. Stop the pain. Break up the congestion. Feel a bad cold loosen up in just a short time.

"Red Pepper Rub" is the cold remedy that brings quickest relief. It cannot hurt you and it certainly seems to end the tightness and drive the congestion and soreness right out.

Nothing has such concentrated, penetrating heat as red peppers, and when heat penetrates right down into colds, congestion, aching muscles and sore, stiff joints relief comes at once.

The moment you apply Red Pepper Rub you feel the tingling heat in three minutes the congested spot is warmed through and through. When you are suffering from a cold, rheumatism, backache, stiff neck or sore muscles, just get a jar of Rowles Red Pepper Rub, made from red peppers, at any drug store. You will have the quickest relief known.

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Advertisement

SAGE TEA DANDY TO DARKEN HAIR

Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Is Grandmother's Recipe to Darken Gray Hair

You can turn gray, faded hair beautifully dark and lustrous almost overnight if you'll get a bottle of "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound" any drug store. Millions of bottles of this old family tonic recipe, improved by the addition of other ingredients, are sold annually, says a well-known druggist here, because it darkens the hair so naturally and evenly that no one can tell it has been applied.

Those whose hair is turning gray or becoming faded have a surprise awaiting them, because after one or two applications the gray hair vanishes and your locks become luxuriantly dark and beautiful.

This is the age of youth. Gray-haired, unattractive folks aren't wanted around, so get busy with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound tonight and you'll be delighted with your dark, handsome hair and your youthful appearance within a few days.

WYETH'S SAGE AND SULPHUR

Get Rid Of Dandruff By Shampooing With

Cuticura Soap

At night lightly anoint the scalp, especially spots of dandruff and itching, with Cuticura Ointment. Next morning shampoo with a cake of Cuticura Soap and hot water. This treatment does much for dandruff and itching scalps, the cause of thin and falling hair.

Samples Free by Mail. Address: "Cuticura Laboratories, Dept. 21P, Malden 48, Mass." Sold everywhere. Soap 25c. Ointment 25 and 50c. Talcum 25c. Try our new Shaving Stick.

Abrams Machine Shows Ignorance of Electricity, Prober Says

STRANGE MEDICAL MACHINE

Photo of the Abrams' "Sphygmohiometer." One binding post is connected to nothing at all and the photo is offered by a medical investigator to support his claims that Dr. Abrams was a veritable novice in electricity on which the doctor bases his treatment.

Wiring on Medical Apparatus Leads to Nowhere

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and Drug Mongers" by Paul H. De Kruif, Ph. D.

It stated that "No medical claims in years have caused such excitement as those of Abrams, yet they are complete nonsense."

"In the past few years a modern cult has arisen in the West," said Dr. De Kruif. "Its presiding elder is Dr. Albert Abrams of San Francisco. There is no limit to his fantastic claims. They defy all hitherto accumulated knowledge, both in physics and in medicine."

This writer says he spent desperate weeks in wading through Dr. Abrams' works and "the following story is in part the fruit of this long and sweating struggle."

After covering the theory that all matter consists of electrical charges in vibration, known as electrons, the author went on to say about Abrams' book, "New Concepts in Diagnosis and Treatment":

ERRORS SHOWN

"The book is full of evidence that Abrams knows nothing whatever about electricity. In one place he speaks of 'the voltage being very high and varies from two to seventeen ohms.' Every high school boy knows that voltage is measured in volts and resistance in ohms.

"Apparently Abrams is completely innocent of even such rudimentary knowledge as this, for he repeatedly makes the same mistake. In his book he gives a picture of a machine called a 'sphygmohiometer.' As you see in the picture, one binding post of the coil is connected to nothing at all. A schoolboy could see that this 'fundamental genius,' as his admirers call him, would have difficulty in hooking up a door bell.

"It is not necessary to cite further examples of ignorance of the most fundamental and simple principles of physics on the part of Abrams. The book abounds in these and in peculiar chapters containing succession of disconnected statements without logical sequence. Such obvious claptrap as this would ordinarily cause one to dismiss the claims and to forget the deluded claimant."

VISITS ABRAMS

Because of the cry of discrimination and an "organized plot" against Abrams, the author said he visited the man in his laboratory.

"After a polite exchange of compliments," he continued, "he (Dr. Abrams) proceeded with his work, which was that of diagnosing a disease from a small drop of the blood of a patient in a far-off city. The blood was placed by a female assistant into a little container of hard rubber.

"The lid of this box was made of aluminum and was connected by a wire to some resistance coils. From these coils a wire passed to an 'electrode' held against the forehead of the half-naked man (the subject). The electrode is a metal disc with a loose-fitting cover.

"There is a hole in the center of the cover but the ELECTRODE DOES NOT TOUCH THE SKIN OF THE PATIENT'S FOREHEAD. A curious electric circuit, surely. For the 'energy' from the blood drop must here pass a resistance measuring millions of ohms.

"Yet, marvelous to relate, Abrams is able to detect, by his thumpings on the subject's abdomen, differences of a fraction of an ohm.

"Even the sounds made on the abdomen are a hoax, perhaps unconscious on the part of Abrams. It is enough to say that the 'dull' sound is due to a trick on the part of Abrams, and not to any condition existing in the subject's abdomen."

With reference to the statement that Abrams was becoming popular with many doctors, the author said:

"Doctors are flocking to him, but they are not the well-educated or intelligent type of physician. This was revealed by a glance at the ten or more prospective disciples that filled the room. They were colorless individuals, obscure physicians, dentists, homeopaths, osteopaths from all parts of the country."

"Reverend" he continued "Abrams has received some free advertising in the pages of Pearson's Magazine. It is noticeable that the persons who write in support of him are not trained in science.

"His chief supporter seems to be Upton Sinclair, who is an excellent novelist, but is surely not qualified to judge the merits of a new system of treatment and diagnosis of disease.

"Abrams' champion in the August Pearson's is a Dr Swayze. It is unfortunate for Abrams' cause that this witness was produced for Swayze has been a notorious advertising specialist in men's diseases."

"To sum up, the whole affair smacks of a monumental piece of chicane. While there is no good evidence of fraud on the part of Abrams himself, the reverse is true of his disciples.

"Careful research reveals only one medical man of any prominence among those who whoop so loudly for him. This one is Sir James Barr, an ex-president of the British Medical Association. Perusal of the eminent Sir James' articles reveals the same type of pseudo-science, preposterous statement that is to be found so abundantly in the writings of Abrams himself.

"In 1917 two prominent and reputable San Francisco doctors, named Hyman and Reed, called upon Dr. Abrams and proposed a fair plan, that would show conclusively whether or not his claims were valid. They offered to furnish him with the blood of 200 patients from the University of California and Stanford University clinics.

REFUSED PROOF

Each one of these samples was to be taken from a patient known to be suffering from one of the diseases that Dr. Abrams says he is able to diagnose by his wonderful vibrations. It was proposed that Abrams be given the clinic number of each patient.

"His representative was to be allowed to be present at the taking of the specimens, so that there would be no chance of fraud on the part of the hospital authorities. The diagnosis made by Abrams was then in each case to be compared with that established by the hospital staff, and the results were to be published side by side in the California State Journal of Medicine.

"Dr. Abrams refused flatfootedly in any way to co-operate in such an investigation."

The next article will tell how an Abrams practitioner in Boston diagnosed the condition of the late President Harding from a newspaper print photograph.

BERLIN TO ABOLISH EMERGENCY EDICT

Berlin, Feb. 14 (I.N.S.)—The National state of emergency in Germany, proclaimed when the National Socialist movement in Bavaria attempted dissolution of the confederation, will be abolished [illegible] by announced today. General Von Zeekt, commander of the Reichswehr, and nominal dictator, wrote a letter to President Ebert suggesting that it be rescinded, now that quiet has settled down.

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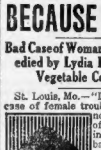

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Plaid Blankets Wool mixed plaid blankets, large bed size, in a variety of colors. Pair... 4.45

Bleached Sheets Full bed size, made from a good quality cotton; size 81x99. Each 1.29

Turkish Towels Turkish bath towels of a fine grade, with attractive colored borders. 3 for 1.00

Women's Neckwear Odd lot of slightly soiled neckwear, in many different kinds. Special price 10c

Girls' Toques Of brushed wool in an assortment of good colors. Each..... 25c

Girls' Coats Full length Polaire coats, some with fur collars. Mostly 12 and 14 years in the lot..... 2.95

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Women's Vests Band tops, low neck, sleeveless, regular and extra sizes. 3 for 1.00

Men's Dress Shirts Stiff-bosom white dress shirts. In time for the social season. Limited quantity 50c

Women's Suits Odd lot of good velour suits with dyed rabbit collars. Brown only. Sizes up to 42..... 5.95

Women's Bloomers Muslin bloomers in pink and white, with reinforced seat. Well made. 3 for 1.00

Women's Gowns Muslin night gowns in tailored styles; also envelope chemises and bloomers 49c

Women's Camisoles Silk, with bodice top, strap shoulders, trimmed with lace and ribbon; 36 to 44 69c

Women's Night Gowns Philippine hand-embroidered night gowns; various patterns of embroidery; 15-16-17.... 1.80

Women's Gowns Cotton crepe in flesh and white. Kimono and tailored styles; 16 and 17. 79c

Dainty Curtains Lace and filet net curtains, in plain and figured centres, with borders. Pair 1.38

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OFFICIAL OUT AFTER BOND CHARGES

Major Kirby of the U. S. Army Named to Head Bureau of Engraving

Washington, Feb. 14.—Secretary Mellon, in a letter today to President Coolidge declared unfounded the charges of Charles B. Brewer, Department of Justice attorney, that there had been bond duplications in the Bureau of Engraving.

At the same time it was announced that Major Wallace W. Kirby of the Army Engineer Corps had been detailed today to act as director of the bureau, succeeding Louis N. Hill, whose resignation has been accepted.

Washington — Senator Brookhart was elected for the third successive year president of the National Rifle Association.

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INSANE MOTHER DROWNS HER 2 BABIES

Beachmont Woman Fails in Attempt to End Her Own Life in Bathtub

Fearful that something must be wrong when for the first time in his married life he arrived home and found the house in darkness, George E. Wilfert, forty years old, of No. 107 Pearl avenue, Beachmont, turned on the light and gazed upon such a sight as sometimes has driven men to madness.

Lying fully dressed in the bathtub, their clothing soaked in water, was his wife, Barbara, thirty-five, and the bodies of two of their three children, Harry, three and a half years, and Elsie, eighteen months old.

The children were dead. Mrs. Wilfert hysterically calling their names, is under arrest in the Psychopathic Hospital, charged with homicide.

LEFT SUICIDE NOTE

Wilfert says Mrs. Wilfert had not been feeling well for several days. When he turned on the lights the first thing that met his eyes was a slip of paper fastened on the top of an incandescent lamp and bearing this message unsigned.

"I am tired of it all. I am too cold and sick. I am going to end it all."

The home of the Wilferts a two-family dwelling owned by the husband and father is situated in one of the better residential sections of Beachmont. Wilfert is an expert machinist employed by the General Electric Company in Lynn.

Mrs. Wilfert is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mayer of No. 26 Green street, Jamaica Plain. The third child, George, Jr., had been spending a few days with his grandparents at this address.

FATHER A MACHINIST.

Although Wilfert insists that there had been "no trouble," the Revere police claim to have information that Mrs. Wilfert recently consulted counsel with a view to effecting a separation. On the attorney's advice she returned home determined to "make the best of it." Her husband, who has lived the greater part of his life in Beachmont, is generally respected. Neighbors speak of him as a reticent man.

SCHNEIDER PLANE MEET IN BALTIMORE

Baltimore, Feb. 14.—The Jacques Schneider international seaplane race has been officially awarded to Baltimore by the National Aeronautic Association. The dates chosen are October 24 and 25. The flying course will be over Chesapeake Bay, from Bay Shore to Gibson Island, to Rock Hall, a distance of thirty miles, to be covered seven times. Two planes which took first and second places in the 1923 race at Cowes, England, will be entered by the United States navy. Great Britain and Italy also have signified their intention to enter.

LABOR UNIONS FIGHT TO BLOCK CHRISTIAN

Washington, Feb. 14 (C.N.S.)—For the first time since he became President, Calvin Coolidge is today threatened with the defeat of one of his important Federal appointments. His nomination of George B. Christian, former secretary to President Harding, to be a member of the Federal Trade Commission, is likely to be rejected by a combination of Democrats, independent Republicans and Farmer Laborites.

OLDEST NEWSBOY IS GIVEN JAIL TERM

Manchester, N. H., Feb. 14 (I.N.S.)—Eugene J. Jobin, fifty-five, of No. 827 Elm street, oldest newsboy of this city, was sentenced to six months in jail today by Judge Charles Perkins on complaint of a twelve-year-old girl. The charge was that Jobin kept the girl in his room for three days. Jobin pleaded guilty.

BRITISH FLIER IS KILLED IN PLUNGE

Aldershot, Eng., Feb. 14.—Lieutenant-Colonel J. L. Travers was killed when the Airdrome here today when a small airplane in which he was flying went out of control and took a nose dive from a height of 500 feet. The aviator jumped and was killed.

Lieutenant-Colonel Travers was one of the British pioneer aviators. Recently he had been in Chile as technical adviser of the Chilean air service.

LOCOMOTIVE CREW SCALDED IN TUNNEL

North Adams, Feb. 14 (I.N.S.)—Frank Lyons of Troy, N. Y., engineer, and Melbourne Smith of Greenfield, fireman, were scalded in the Hoosac Tunnel today when a pipe on the cab of the engine burst. They were taken to the North Adams Hospital. Officials are investigating the cause of the accident, as the engine and train was being pulled through by an electric motor.

FORTY SHOTS IN QUARTER-INCH RING

Washington, Feb. 14.—By placing all possible forty shots within a quarter-inch ring, C. H. Harrel, county of Chicago rifleman, won individual prone gallery rifle championship of the United States at shoot-off between twenty men of last four matches conducted by the National Rifle Association throughout the country. War Department announcement of the result today gave second place to R. H. McGarity of this city, outdoor small-bore champion, for putting thirty-six shots within the quarter-inch ring, which was described in the centre of the regular half-inch bullseye.

Deep Seated COLDS Yield to DR. BULL'S COUGH SYRUP

Belfast—Sir William Hacket-Pain, chief of staff of the Ulster volunteers in the pre-war days, died on the Isle of Wight. During the war he commanded the Ulster brigade.

Guayquil, Ecuador—Dr. Frederic W. Goding, American Consul-General here, is seriously ill.

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Regular price $298. This handsome Duke Anne Dining Room Suite is one of the most remarkable values in the solid-rich two-toned combination WALNUT. The Buffet has MAHOGANY drawer fronts—Oblong Table, China Cabinet, Serving Cabinet and 6 Chairs. 10 pieces complete for $165.

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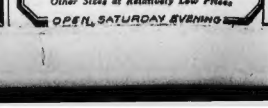

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EDDIE KELLY IS BACK SHOOTING BASKETS.

Eddie Kelly, snappy forward on the St. Mary's team of Cambridge, is again back in the game. His much injured ankle has mended and he will be seen heard from in both the South Shore and Greater Boston leagues.

SPORTING AMERICAN

LLOYD HAHN READY FOR N. E. A. A. A. U. MEET.

It is reported that Lloyd Hahn, the sensational mile runner, is ready for the pop of the gun. Hahn has been showing his heels to Ray and many of the other best mile birds in the game today.

KOTSONAROS MAY SCORE FALL ON LEWIS IN BOUT TONIGHT

CHAMPION IN TITLE BATTLE

By JACK CONWAY

Strangler Lewis, world's heavyweight wrestling champion, will risk his title again tonight when he clashes with the sensational George Kotsonaros, Greek title holder, in a finish bout best two falls out of three, at the Old Howard show at the Grand Opera House.

Strangler Lewis

Lewis recently won over Joe Alvarez and Angelo Taramaschi in contests in this city

Kotsonaros, in the opinion of this writer, is a much better wrestler than either Alvarez or Taramaschi and will give the champion the hardest battle he has had in a long time.

The Greek title holder was one of the big favorites when he showed here last season. He then was twenty pounds lighter than he is today. Kotsonaros now scales close to 200 pounds and so will be able to make things interesting for Lewis or any of the other headliners.

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Tonight's bout will be a test between Lewis' great strength and headlock and Kotsonaros' amazing speed and skill. There are many close followers of the mat game who are of the opinion that the Greek's science will enable him to win. There were several wagers made today to the effect that Kotsonaros would score at least one fall.

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Stanley Stasiak, mighty son of Poland, will be at the ringside to challenge the winner.

Wladek Zbyszko will also try to get a little with the victor. He is also prepared to tackle Stasiak whom he charges has been avoiding him.

Lewis and Kotsonaros will be surrounded by a bang-up preliminary card.

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Farmer Bailey of Brattleboro, one of the strongest men on the mat, will tackle an unknown in another contest.

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Angelo Taramaschi, Italian champion, will have Christo Gustavo, Swedish champion, as an opponent in another bout.

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Bob McKirdy did some very rapid work when he billed Tommy Loughran, conqueror of Johnny Wilson and Harry Greb, to meet Jack Delaney of Bridgeport, Ct., in a ten-round bout at the Commercial A. C.'s show at Mechanics Building on Tuesday night.

INDOOR SPORTS . . . . By Tad

AS A BOY I WAS TOLD NOT TO DRINK OR SMOKE AND TODAY I KIN AS A ATHALETE SAY I HAVENT. HONESTY IS A BIG FACTORY— UH- FACTOR- WE GOTTA BE ON THE LEVEL- DIAGNOSIS WID THE LANTREN WOULDNT HONE TO LOOK FAIR IN THE BOXING GAME FOR A HONEST MAN.
HE'S A SUCCESS - HES GOT MORE JACK THAN SENATOR CHINALOT
AND HE REHEARSED IT FIFTEEN TIMES
ENGLISH WILL BE A DEAD LANGUAGE AFTER TONIGHT
POOR MIKE WHO HAS TO STAND FOR MURDER DAILY
YOU OUGHTA HEAR HIS MANAGER— HA-HA SWEET PAPA
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PENN DEFEATS HARVARD IN A CLOSE GAME

A powerful Pennsylvania quintet downed Harvard, 26 to 24, in one of the most thrilling and most closely contested basketball battles seen on the Hemenway flor this season.

The teams were evenly matched, both possessed fast and capable attack, reinforced by a strong defence.

But the superior team play of the Penn men and their ability to transform Harvard fouls into points ultimately paved the way to a victory for them.

Harvard got away to a whirlwind start. Captain Gordon, centre, and Sambloski, right guard, bore the brunt of the offensive play. Early in the session the Quakers were baffled by the highly developed pass game employed by the Crimson but they rapidly warmed to their task, and the close of the first period saw Penn slightly ahead, 15\17.

In the second half Penn swung away to a substantial lead. Captain Cormack and Dessen, right guard, featured the attack. But the Harvard defence tightened up with a gallant last stand and unfolded a last minute attack that nearly wrested victory from the grasp of the Red and Blue.

New York Commission Hands Out Penalties

By THOMAS L. CUMMISKY

New York, Feb. 14.—The New York Boxing Commission meted out punishment for what it decided was improper treatment of the public when Georgie Marks was four and a half pounds overweight in his bout with Pancho Villa, world's flyweight champion, last week in Madison Square Garden. The Commission declared that the public was flim-flammed.

Tex Rickard

Marks was suspended sixty days. So was his manager, Charley Cook, and so was Frank Churchill, Villa's manager.

Madison Garden was prohibited from holding bouts for one week, from Feb. 16 to 23.

The decision was made after a hearing of the case in which the three suspended men and Frank Flournoy, Madison Square Garden matchmaker, were present.

The bout was announced for Villa's title, and Marks was to make 112 pounds or forfeit $2500 weight money. He weighed in at 116½ pounds at 2 o'clock on the afternoon of the fight. But no forfeit was put up. Most of the 10,000 fans did not know it was not to be a title fight until thy got in the Garden.

Chairman George Brower announced after the hearing that the suspensions had been made for three reasons; first, that it must have been apparent several days before the fight that Marks could not make the weight; second, for failure to put announcers outside the "Garden" to tell the fans it was not a title fight, and, third, because no forfeit was put up, or taken from Marks.

Villa, who fought under 112 pounds, was not held in any way to blame for the affair, nor was Promoter Tex Rickard, Chairman Brower said.

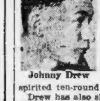
In regard to Rickard, he said, that the matchmaker was Flournoy, However, the commission ruled that Madison Sqquare Garden must suffer a penalty for Matchmaker Flournoy's neglect not to see forfeits were up, and his unconcern about the weight.

Although Chairman Brower made it clear that the commission desired that Villa had no enrech cast on his record, he cannot box during the term of his manager's suspension.

FINNEGAN AND DREW CLASH AT TRIPLE A

Honorboy Finnegan of Dorchester, one of the most promising lightweights in New England, and Johnny Drew of Worcester will furnish the thrill in the feature bout of ten rounds at the Armory A. A.'s show at the Grand Opera House on Monday night.

Finnegan has proved one of the big winners hereabouts since he received his discharge from the navy and started devoting his time to the fistic art. In his last contest here, he won over Freddy Jacks of England after a spirited ten-round mill.



Johnny Drew

Drew has also shown to advantage in all of his New England starts. A few months ago he gave Red Chapman a terrid engagement at Mechanics Building. Prior to that contest, Drew won over Chapman in a bout staged at Worcester.

A large delegation of Worcester fans will journey to Boston to see Finnegan and Drew swap blows.

The Triple A expects a capacity crowd for this fine local attraction.

Bay State Circuit Race Dates

Medford—Week of June 16.
Avon, Ct.—Week of June 23.
Windsor, Ct.—Week of June 30.
Springfield—Week of July 7.
Northampton—Week of July 14.
Greenfield—Week of July 21.
Worcester—Week of July 28.
Norwich, Ct.—Week of August 4.
Kingston, R. I.—Week of August 11.
Marshfield—Week of August 18.
Readville—Week of August 25.

HARVARD'S TENNIS SEASON IS OPENED

The tennis season at Harvard College opened officially with a meeting of candidates. Plans for the season were discussed, and a program of practice laid out. Captain Karl S. Pfaffiman, football and tennis star, was the speaker.

The meeting marks the beginning of active indoor practice, as a squad of ten men will practice daily in the Longwood covered courts at Chestnut Hill. Both freshman and varsity candidates were present.

The men selected for practice are: L. H. Bondi, Alden Briggs, Parks Cummings, W. P. Dixon, Carroll Harrington, K. S. Pfaffman, Donald Straiem, and E. M. Upjohn.

Andover Wins, 7 to 0

Andover, Feb. 14.—The first really interesting hockey game played by Andover Academy team on the local rink was played when the Blue and White players defeated the Andover Hockey Club, 7 to 0.

McGraw Is in Cuba

Havana, Feb. 14.—John J. McGraw of the Giants arrived in Havana for a short visit.

LOUGHRAN WILL FIGHT JACK DELANEY

A high class middleweight attraction is billed for the Commercial Club's next show on next Tuesday night at Mechanics Building. Tommy Loughran the sensational Philadelphia boxer, and Jack Delaney of Bridgeport, Ct., a leading contender for the middleweight title, will clash in the feature event of ten rounds.

Al Sears

Both Loughran and Delaney are among Harry Greb's logical opponents for a middleweight title match in Madison Square Garden.

The Quaker City star last Tuesday defeated exchampion Johnny Wilson in a ten round bout. In Loughran's other two contests here, the Philadelphia youth defeated Greb and Ted Moore of England.

Delaney is one of the best middleweights in the country. The Bridgeport sensation is one of the few boys who defeated Louis Bogash. Delaney also has defeated George Robinson, Jimmy Darcy, Jackie Clark, Bart Colima and Jack McClelland.

Greb promised Frank Marlow, who was manager of the Bridgeport boxer until recently, that if he defeated Johnny Wilson he would give Delaney a chance but instead of keeping his word the champion departed for California.

Al Sears of Boston and Bob Lowrey, champion of Scotland, are matched to clash in one of the eight round bouts.

Willie Patterson of Philadelphia, a stablemate of Loughran, will oppose Billy Ennis of Fall River and Henry Catenal of New York and Young Dencio of the U. S. S. Mayflower will battle in the other eight round contests.

BAY STATE SHORT SHIP MEN BANQUET

The Tenth annual banquet of the Bay State Short Ship Circuit, held at the Copley Plaza was voted by the seven hundred or more present as the most successful.

A splendid entertainment was staged. Bruzie, Frank Mussy and Arthur E. Cook made things hum in the early days of the circuit. In his last contest here, he won over Freddy Jacks of England after a

Representative Martin Hays was one of the speakers.

At the meeting of the several associations during the morning session Charles P. Stickney was re-elected presiding judge for the season of 1924.

DARTMOUTH TEAM IN BRATTLEBORO EVENTS

Hanover, N. H., Feb. 14.—Fresh from Winter carnival victory over McGill, Williams and New Hampshire State, the Dartmouth ski team, C. T. Griffith, '24; T. D. Frost, '25; R. D. Mann, '26; R. M. Hodgdon, '26, and R. D. Mooney, '27, will compete in a three days' meet that starts today at Brattleboro, Vt., where the Green jumpers will enter the intercollegiate division of the national ski tournament.

The members eliminated the first day will proceed to Williamstown for a meet Friday, and return to Northfield Saturday to oppose Norwich.

Those surviving Thursday's trials at Brattleboro will enter the national ski jumping championship event the following day.

BART SULLIVAN WILL STAY AT HOLY CROSS

Worcester, Feb. 14.—Exeter will not lure Bart Sullivan away from Holy Cross, according to a statement made by the Purple track coach.

Sullivan has been highly touted to take the vacancy left open by Coach Connors in the New Hampshire preparatory school to rule over the Yale track destinies.

The Holy Cross coach says that no offer had been extended to him.

HOLD HAPPY FELSCH ON PERJURY CHARGE

Milwaukee, Feb. 14.—Oscar (Happy) Felsch, former White Sox ball player, who testified at the trial of Joe Jackson's suit for $18,500 against the Chicago club of the American League, was arrested at the opening of court on a charge of perjury.

HARD GAMES FOR THE BOSTON WHIRLWINDS

Two hard games confront the Boston Whirlwinds, New England basketball champions, on Friday and Milford, N. H., when the titleholders encounter an all-star New Hampshire quintet.

On the following evening the Whirlwinds will play Clinton A. A. at Clinton.

Jack Conway Picks Lewis, Taramaschi and Bailey to Win

Jack Conway, holder of the sportd's record for picking winners, once more steps into the role as a prophet.

"This time I am asked to give the dope on the big wrestling show at the Grand Opera House tonight," says Jack. "I am picking Strangler Lewis to win in his world's title battle with George Kotsonaros, Greek champion.

"Lewis, although he should retain his title, will receive the toughest opposition he has been up against in several years. I consider Kotsonaros the most perfect wrestler in the world, even more scientific than the champion. Furthermore, he has put on twenty pounds of weight and so should be able to rough things with Lewis if necessary.

"Farmer Bailey should win over the unknown, while Angelo Taramaschi is my selection to upset Christo Gustavo."

Jack has picked twenty-six winners out of a possible twenty-nine this year.

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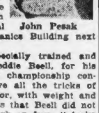
PESAK MAKES A BIG HIT IN WORKOUT

John Pesak, the "Nebraska Tiger," is in great form if one judges by the way he tore through his wrestling partners in his first workout in Boston.

The form he showed means that he will be at his best. It also means that Farmer Saunders, good as he is known to be by experts, will find himself opposed to a veritable cyclone when they clash in the semi-final match in Mechanics Building next Monday night.



John Pesak

Saunders, especially trained and coached by Freddie Beell, for his real start as a championship contender, will have all the tricks of Gotch's conqueror, with weight and other advantages that Beell did not possess. Although on form it looks as though Pesak will win, there is no doubt that Saunders will be able to give him a fight from the start.

Interest in this event is not a bit less keen than in the return meet between Zanovich and Mondt, which is on the same program. Zanovich is after revenge and promises he will get it. Mondt wants to win decisively and there the matter rests at present.

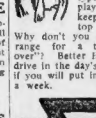
TUFTS BASKETBALL TEAM WINS 28 TO 7

Kingston, R. I., Feb. 14.—The Tufts basketball team nosed out the Rhode Island College five, 28 to 27.

Both teams displayed a brilliant pass game, and the Medford invaders managed to score the winning basket in the last minute of play.

The locals were unable to prevent the Jumbo rally in the last period and as a result were beaten by a one-point margin. Johnny Mahoney and Rogers excelled for the Brown and Blue. Van French and Dawson also starred for Tufts in the first half.

Free Physical EXAMINATIONS



that put men who to their true condition, are available to Y. M. C. A. gym members. Skilled physicians and directors then advise type of exercise and play a man needs to keep himself in tip-top shape.

Why don't you come up and arrange for a thorough "going-over"? Better Health and greater drive in the day's work will result, if you will put in but a few hours a week.

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To men over 16 this ad is good for a rate in the day "gym" only. same cost.

RETAIL STORES LEAGUE HAS MATCHES

Four matches of the Retail Stores Bowling League were rolled in the weekly schedule.

One match, that between C. F. Hovey Co. and E. E. Gray Co., was postponed.

Wm. Leavens & Co. cleaned up with all four points against Jones, McDuffee & Stratton Co., but every string was a hard, close fight.

Ferdinands made a clean sweep against Chandler & Co., Houghton & Dutton got three out of four from Summerfield's, and Wm. Filene's Sons Co. took three out of four from R. H. White Co.

Riley, of Ferdinands, with 122, had the highest individual single string, and, with 341, the highest individual three-string total.

Ferdinands, with 822, had the high team single string, and with 1468 the high team grand total.

The score:

WM. LEAVENS & CO.				
Raff	96	98	117	307
Harrington	104	97	97	298
Stanley	88	114	116	318
Brooks	83	94	93	270
Fuld	93	90	98	281
Totals	460	494	521	1475
JONES, McDUFFEE & STRATTON CO.				
Keegan	96	98	96	290
Jacobs	99	96	106	301
O'Brien	97	95	96	288
Purdy	93	90	93	276
Carleton	94	97	98	289
Totals	604	609	649	1843
FERDINAND'S				
Brooks	99	101	97	297
Hartford	97	93	71	261
Heath	93	97	92	282
Riley	122	108	111	341
Stiles	99	85	99	283
Totals	474	482	422	1466
CHANDLER & CO.				
Madden	86	85	88	259
Hartnett	81	89	83	253
Driscoll	75	94	82	251
Ritchie	82	74	81	237
Roberts	86	80	80	247
Totals	410	422	413	1245
SUMMERFIELD'S				
Cuneo	79	79	88	246
Maloney	92	72	90	254
Rhodes	91	89	89	269
Smith	93	89	92	274
Breunan	97	97	96	290
Totals	439	419	425	1291
HOUGHTON & DUTTON CO.				
McCarthy	86	75	86	247
Klein	82	90	87	259
Murphy	80	78	89	247
Clancy	81	82	96	259
Caladas	85	71	91	247
Totals	414	396	435	1251
WM. FILENE'S SONS CO.				
Green	107	85	105	297
Rahlal	97	111	112	320
Palca	97	82	104	283
Kurland	93	97	97	287
Jones	103	85	96	284
Totals	488	460	505	1453
R. H. WHITE CO.				
Gordon	104	101	76	281
Bidwell	105	78	84	267
Haloom	99	81	105	285
Cassidy	81	79	73	233
Kilfoyle	112	110	88	308
Totals	477	453	439	1374

BOSTON COLLEGE IN BIG NEW YORK RACE

The Boston College relay team has been invited to meet Notre Dame, Georgetown and Holy Cross in a championship 1600 metre relay event one of the features of the Knights of Columbus games in New York next month.

It is expected that the Eagles will accept. This relay should prove one of the biggest features of the indoor season.

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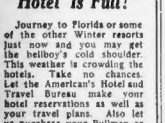

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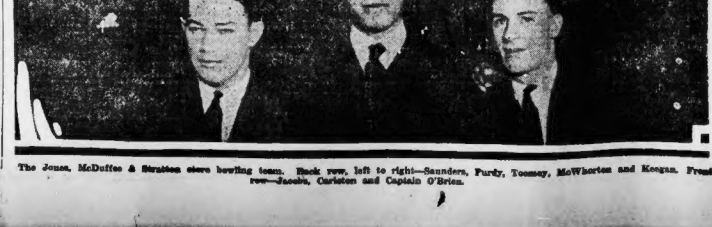
STARS AMONG RETAIL STORE BOWLERS



The Jones, McDuffee & Stratton store bowling team. Back row, left to right—Saunders, Purdy, Toomey, McWhorton and Keegan. Front row—Jacobs, Carleton and Captain O'Brien.

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EDDIE RILEY REPORTS EVERYTHING O.K.

The Braves are all set and ready according to Secretary Eddie Riley, who is now bundling up a few things for Southern invasion. Eddie is expected to shove-off with the first delegation the 24th of this month.

DOUBLE ATTRACTION SATURDAY AT ARENA.

Boston Athletic Association and Abegweits of Prince Edward Island will be one of the games at the Arena Saturday night. The other game making a twin bill will be Boston H. C. playing New Haven in league tussle.

SCHOOLBOY TRACK STARS ALL SET FOR BIG INDOOR MEET

ENTRY LIST IS CLOSE TO 500

By FRED C. LANE.

School track coaches will close the preliminary training of their stars today for the big Harvard Interscholastic Meet in Mechanics Building Saturday afternoon.

The boys will devote the rest of the week to dry out, so that they may take their positions with all their pep and energy ready for tests. This year's meet will be the best ever.

Harold Moody

No expense has been spared. The entry list has close to 500 boys from New England's many high and prep schools.

The plan put in operation last year which divided the schools into two classes, so that weaker schools would share in the honors, will be in effect.

The Harvard authorities have adopted the system used by the M. H. A. A. last year. It is the first time that the Crimson forces have co-operated with the State body.

NO PRIZES FOR LOCAL SCHOOLBOY WINNERS

Unfortunately the Boston high school boys will be unable to accept any of the prizes offered, if they should win.

Last year that condition existed in the Harvard Interscholastic Outdoor Meet, yet two were given the medals, although when they accepted them they jeopardized their chances to compete under their school colors.

The best Boston high school runners are entered.

The appearance of the Boston schoolboys in the meet will give lovers of scholastic sport a chance to judge the merits of our school boys with those of Medford, Newton, Brookline and other leaders in our Suburban towns.

MEDFORD HIGH WINNER OF LAST YEAR'S MEET

It's been some years since the Boston schoolboys competed with those of the Suburban League cities. Last season Medford High won the meet by a fraction of a point from Newton. Coach Sampson's boys are favored to win again this year. It does not seem possible that Newton will give their rivals as stiff a fight as last year because several of Newton's star performers of 1923 are freshmen in colleges.

John Clarkin

Huntington School has a shade over Andover and Worcester Academy in Class A prep schools. The Back Bay school lost a number of brilliant performers but was fortunate to obtain many stars from Boston high school ranks who are polishing off for the college exams in the spring.

PLENTY OF THRILLS WERE IN THE RELAY RACES

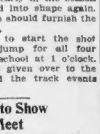
Henry Hermel and Harrington Moore are in shape and should help Medford's chances for first honors. Both went stale early in the season but have rounded into shape again.

The relay races should furnish the big thrills.

It is planned to start the shot put and high jump for all four classes of high school at 1 o'clock. An hour will be given over to the field events and the track events will start at two.

College Stars to Show Worth in Tri Meet

It will seem like "Old Home Week" for some of the Dartmouth freshmen relay runners when they tackle the Harvard and Cornell yearlings at Mechanics Building Saturday night. Joe Kelley of Medford, Bill Spinney of Medford, last year's Huntington captain, and Curtis Parker of Woburn, who led Huntington on the boards two years ago, are at present former schoolboy leaders hereabouts who will be seen in action.



Bill Spinney

Carl Lundell and Ellsworth Haggerty are a pair of former Hub schoolboys in the Harvard lineup, but the most famous runner in the whole race will be Eugene Goodwillie of University School of Chicago, who equalled the world's record at 220 yards around a turn when he won the event in 21 3-5s at the Chicago Interscholastic last Spring.

Goodwillie is a freshman at Cornell, a live Olympic prospect, and as he has had experience on the boards in his home city he is favored to clean up in the freshman 40-yard dash. Sad part for Cornell is that the freshman "40" doesn't count in the points.

Dartmouth followers doubtless felt a twinge of regret that Brad Welsiger, negro flash, had departed, when they read of the Brooklyn youth's spurts in the national junior championships at Buffalo, Saturday night. Montgomery Colladay, a sophomore from Hartford, seems to be all set to make the splinters fly for the Green.

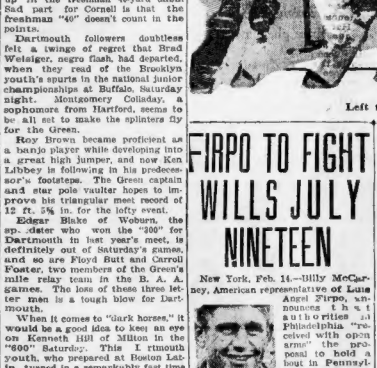
Roy Brown became proficient as a banjo player while developing into a great high jumper, and now Ken Libbey is following in his predecessor's footsteps. The Green captain and star pole vaulter hopes to improve his triangular meet record of 12 ft. 5⅝ in. for the lofty event.

Edgar Blake of Woburn, the sp...dster who won the "300" for Dartmouth in last year's meet, is definitely out of Saturday's games, and so are Floyd Butt and Carroll Foster, two members of the Green's mile relay team in the B. A. A. games. The loss of these three letter men is a tough blow for Dartmouth.

When it comes to "dark horses," it would be a good idea to keep an eye on Kenneth Hill of Milton in the "600" Saturday. This Intermouth youth, who prepared at Boston Latin, turned in a remarkably fast time trial last Friday and may figure with his teammate, Harold Bate of Brookline, in the "600."

Captain and Members of Olympic Ski Team

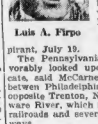
This is a characteristic pose of Captain Augen of the Yankee Ski team at Olympics at Chamonix, France.



Left to right, Lieu Bakon, Overly and Carlton. (Photo by International News Reel.)

FIRPO TO FIGHT WILLS JULY NINETEEN

New York, Feb. 14.—Billy McCarney, American representative of Luis Firpo, who is now touring Europe, announces that authorities at Philadelphia "received with open arms" the proposal to hold a bout in Pennsylvania between Firpo and Harry Wills, negro heavyweight aspirant, July 19.



Luis A. Firpo

The Pennsylvania town most favorably looked upon by the syndicate, said McCarney, is Morrisville, between Philadelphia and New York, opposite Trenton, N. J., on the Delaware River, which is reached by two railroads and several excellent highways.

Billy said he was informed Brig. Gen. Smedley D. Butler, Marine officer who became Director of Public Safety of Philadelphia the first of the year, was "99 per cent. fighting fan," and would approve if the match were held in Philadelphia.

Firpo's representative added he was informed neither the Secretary of State nor the Attorney General of Pennsylvania would interfere with the bout.

Judge Eugenius C. Bonniwell, chairman of the Democratic State Committee of Pennsylvania is in favor of the bout, Mr. McCarney declared.

Despite assertions Monday of two members of the State Boxing Committee of Connecticut that they would vote against permitting the bout in that State, McCarney said the syndicate promoting the affair had not eliminated that State from their calculations.

They had selected a tentative site near Hartford, he said.

Leroy Defeats Seback

Jean Leroy defeated Charles Seback, 50 to 48 in the New England three cushion championship at the State Billiard Club. Each had a high run of five. They played 94 innings. Tonight Leroy will play "Peachee" Ryan.

ST. JOES HAVE BIG BOXING ENTRY LIST

President Bill Cuddy reports a very large entry list for the boxing tournament of the St. Joseph's T. A. A. at Commercial Hall tomorrow night. All the classes are for novices. The prospects are that there will be a full night's entertainment, for there will be several bouts in every class. Those who attend will have an ample sufficiency.

Cuddy says he thinks it will be the best novice tournament ever staged by the St. Joe's. Some of the entrants have been coached, trained and tutored for this show, particularly, so that their debuts might be under the most auspicious circumstances. Some of the boys are considered possibilities for the American amateur Olympic boxing team.

PRINCETON FRESHIES WIN FROM ANDOVER

Andover, Feb. 14.—Princeton freshmen gave Andover basketball team the first defeat of the season. The game played at Bowden gym ended in a score of 22 to 16 and was fast throughout. Some of the home talent was not up to usual form.

The defence of both teams was strong and effective. Alexander and McCabe of the Princeton team did well for the Tigers and caged some long shots, several of which were spectacular. Mumby and Billhardt played good basketball for Andover.

Andover and Exeter Ready for Ice Battle

Excellent ice at Exeter this week is giving Coach Percy C. Rogers an opportunity to polish off his Exeter hockey team for the eleventh annual game with Andover Saturday afternoon.

Isidore Zarakov.

The contest is scheduled to take place at the rink at Brothers Field, Andover, but should the ice be better at Exeter than in Andover, the game will be transferred to Exeter.

Exeter's team is composed entirely of Greater Boston boys this year, they being Henry Crosby of Newton, wing; John P. Chase of Milton, centre; William G. Saltonstall of Readville and Robert MacGrath of Somerville, defence players, and Morrill Bott of Arlington, goal tend. Among the subs are John Foster of Arlington and Richard Hubbard of Boston.

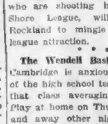
Exeter expects to repeat their 6 to 0 victory of last year when "Izzy" Zarakov, now of Harvard, was the star.

Henry Crosby and John Chase, working together for the New Hampshire school, is a combination which Andover will find hard to break up, while Captain James is a strong player.

Captain Knight, for Andover, and Vaughan are fast as forwards, and with Milliken on the defence are expected to give Exeter a hard tussel. Rideout at goal is one of the best Blue defence men in recent years.

Basketball Notes

One of the basket ball games to attract attention is that between the Ramblers of South Boston and the Emeralds of Fall River. This contest should attract hundreds of outside fans to the Peninsula district where the teams will meet in the South Boston high school hall tomorrow night.



J. Daley.

The Emeralds come to these parts with rather a sweet record, only losing two games in three seasons on the floor. They will find a tough aggregation in the Rambler quintet, who are strongly fortified with the services of Donovan and Fleming, backs; Gerah and Gelsaler, forwards; while Daley is considered as one of the best playing centres.

Another game will be added to the card with the Colonial Cubs playing a suitable opponent.

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Tonight the Weymouth A. A. team, who are shooting high in South Shore League, will journey to Rockland to mingle in a regular league attraction.

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The Wendell Basketball club of Cambridge is anxious to meet any of the high school teams or clubs of that class averaging 115 pounds. Play at home on Thursday evenings and away other nights. Write to Thomas Kelleher, No. 11 Sacramento place, Cambridge, or telephone University 8554-W.

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The Pembroke A. A. of Chelsea, claimants of the 90-100-pound teams in the State, are seeking games. We have turned back all teams in Chelsea and are willing to defend claim with any of the out of town quintets. Write to Mike Zelinski, No. 3 Pembroke street, Chelsea.

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The Naval Reserves of Providence have still a few open dates to meet any of the best 130-160-pound teams in New England away from home. Write to W. Kirkconnel, No. 114 Vandewater street, Providence, R. I.

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The Frolic S. & A. of Chelsea are seeking games with 60-70-pound teams in Greater Boston. Games away from home preferred. Communicate with Harry Yaffe, No. 152 Arlington street, Chelsea.

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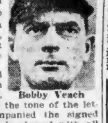
The Lincolns of Somerville are seeking games with 115-120-pound teams in the State. For games write to Joe Reagan No. 19 Marion street Somerville, Telephone Prospect 9071-M.

VEACH SIGNS A CONTRACT FOR RED SOX

President Quinn of the Red Sox is all smiles. The receipt of the signed contract of "Bobbie" Veach veteran outfielder and hard hitter, who was bought from the Detroit club, makes him think life has a roseate hue.



Bobby Veach

Quinn is glad to have Veach within the fold and pleased with the tone of the letter which accompanied the signed contract. Veach is pleased with all the conditions of the document, and will do all that is expected of him by the Boston club.

Another signed contract received was that of Norman McMillan, who came to the Red Sox as a third baseman, but was shifted about the infield last season. McMillan wrote that he believes that if he is put in one position, and allowed to remain in it his all-around work will be more satisfactory than it was last season when he was frequently shifted.

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Selections, Mounts, Prices

At New Orleans

FIRST RACE.

Position, Horse, Jockey.	Fcst.	Odds
1—Rochelle, J. Chalmers		4-1
2—Innocence, I. Martin		3-1
3—Zanzibar, G. W. Carroll		3-1
4—Bush Buck		5-2
5—Trentwick		16-1
6—The Fenian, G. Fields		10-1
7—Gladys V.		15-1
8—Belasco Lake		15-1
9—Begonia, McDermott		15-1
10—Bethlehem Steel, J. Kaderis		20-1
11—Gold Pendant		20-1
12—Mike Marrney, C. Robinson		20-1
13—Maurie Cohen		20-1
14—Kington		30-1

SECOND RACE.

1—Arrowsteel		3-1
2—Fifty Fifty A. Accardy		4-1
3—Sam Freedman, A. Roach		4-1
4—Zamarova		6-1
5—Paul Nixon, H. Zander		8-1
6—Dr. Glenn, D. Jones		8-1
7—Madam Vennie		5-1
8—Zabrah, L. Lang		15-1
9—Dan Boiling, F. Reilly		15-1
10—Good Time, J. Mooney		10-1
11—Anticipate, J. Hooper		15-1
12—Jack Fairman, D. Meagher		20-1
13—Truth Brenning		20-1
14—Star Co		20-1

THIRD RACE.

1—Sweepstakes, J. Hooper		2-1
2—Certain		3-5
3—Buck Pond, L. Parke		4-1
4—Last One, G. Covey		10-1
5—Post Haste J. Wallace		6-1
6—Bire Nose, G. W. Carroll		15-1
7—Billy Klein, D. Meagher		15-1

FOURTH RACE.

1—Revenge, McDermott		2-1
2—Flintlock, J. Wallace		3-1
3—Dr. Clark, L. Parke		3-1
4—Gyrations, J. Wallace		3-1
5—Kane, M. Memanelli		5-1
6—The Roll Call, J. Cornwell		6-1
7—Llewellyn, D. Meagher		15-1
8—Mavourneen		15-1

FIFTH RACE.

1—Lady Madcap, McDermott		8-5
2—Our Own		3-1
3—Beverwick G. Cooper		4-1
4—Lord Granite, J. Wallace		5-1
5—Llewellyn, D. Meagher		3-1
6—John Paul Jones, J. Chalmers		15-1
7—Red Arrow, L. Lang		2-1

SIXTH RACE.

1—Bench Manager, G. Rose		5-1
2—Amity Claire, Thornbyke		5-1
3—Telephone		6-1
4—Seth's Flower		10-1
5—Battery, McDermott		8-1
6—Wong Bok, D. Jones		8-1
7—Roger D., J. Chalmers		15-1
8—Sun Mart		15-1
9—San Domas		8-1
10—Herbertus, M. Garrett		15-1
11—Dunbow, L. Lang		15-1
12—Phoebe Snow, D. Meagher		15-1

SEVENTH RACE.

1—Bonnie, H. Zander		2-1
2—Lily G. W. Carroll		5-1
3—Westwood, J. Wallace		3-1
4—Wessie B. Meagher		6-1
5—Wessie B. L. Lang		10-1
6—Miss Jas. J. Corcoran		15-1
7—Tan Son, A. Accardy		8-1
8—Nanann, D. Meagher		10-1
9—Judge Guy		10-1
10—King John		15-1
11—Water Girl		15-1
12—Mary, W. Harvey		10-1
13—Wrangler, Thornbyke		15-1

AT HAVANA.

FIRST RACE.

Mary Obara		8-1
Wallowmet, Grannenan		5-1
Sweetheart, Ferral		3-1
Gengali, Randell		8-1
Tea Tea		6-1
Irving Fisher, J. Paz		15-1
Bill Spirits		10-1
Lustre		10-1
Duke of Savoy		15-1
Mignet Land, W. Primrose		12-1
Rosalind, Callahan		15-1
Boo Giles		15-1

SECOND RACE.

Somersy		5-2
Leona Dare		4-1
Evils Girl		8-1
Chatterbox		6-1
Ashburton, H. Calazan		8-1
Wrangle, Thornbyke		6-1
Melescope, J. Calahan		10-1
Joe Mitchell, J. Paz		15-1
Miguel Land, W. Primrose		12-1
Rosalind, Callahan		15-1
Boo Giles		15-1

THIRD RACE.

Prince Bonce, H. Escamilla		5-1
Walter Whitaker, A. Pickens		3-1
Simple Simon		6-1
Smart Money, T. Brothers		6-1
Quiet, W. Frank		8-1
Lady Delhi		6-1
Confederate, A. Alonso		10-1
Hamlech, C. Bruder		20-1
Ray Barrett, W. Lancer		15-1
Legal Tender, J. Majestic		3-1
Steel Pin		20-1
Jack Mill		8-1

FOURTH RACE.

Awning, G. Parnis		5-1
Sand Hill, Randell		6-1
Top Rung, J. Sercebia		6-1
Marietta, Ferral		3-1
Tom Norris, W. Smith		6-1
All Sayles, Majestic		20-1
Glory of the Seas Bud J. Dawson		8-1
Ray Barrett, W. Lancer		15-1
All Sayles, W. Gross		20-1
Sand Hill, Majestic		6-1
Ruffdice, W. Dellow		15-1
Plaudel		15-1
Fiotilla, McLaughlin		15-1
Dangerous Rock, McAlaney		20-1
Sandy H., Jackson		15-1
Uzass, J. Callahan		8-1

FIFTH RACE.

Agrocrat, O. Parnis		8-1
Halo, Granneman		6-1
Grandson, J. Dawson		3-1
Shingle Shack, J. Estes		6-1
Bonafide, W. Primrose		8-1
Jack Frost		15-1
Scooty		4-1
Spartina, W. Frank		10-1
Leonia Nail, F. Sercebia		10-1
Spectacular Girl		15-1
Theory, F. Mintz		15-1
Alex. Jr., T. Brothers		15-1
Herron, E. Hileman		20-1

SIXTH RACE.

North Wales, W. Dellow		5-1
Sportlory J. Calahan		3-1
Haman, S. Pickens		6-1
Randel, A. Yerratt		5-1
Morville, J. Majestic		8-1
Flying Prince		15-1

SEVENTH RACE.

Prince Regent, McWilliams		5-2
Yolanda Park, F. Sercebia		8-1
Dr. Charles Wells, G. Jackson		10-1
Wells, A. Yerratt		4-1
Marionette, A. Pickens		7-2
Sun Maiden, J. Callahan		5-1
Plenty Coon		7-2
Trevago, W. Smith		8-1
Chevierie, J. Evans		5-2
Perfume, O. Parnis		4-1
True American		10-1
Wild Cat		20-1

Selections

COLLYER'S EYE

MOST PROBABLE WINNER—Certain.
BEST TAKE A CHANCE—Out Out.
BEST PARLAY—Bluebells Arrowhead and Westwood—show.

AT NEW ORLEANS.

1—Rush Buck, Bluebells Zanzibar.
2—Arrowhead, Fifty Fifty, Sam Freedman.
3—Certain, Sweepstakes, Dark Pond.
4—Whitney-Goldblatt entry, Flintstone, The Red Cat.
5—Our Own, Lady Madcap, Lord Granite.
6—Wong Bok, Bellwether, Telescope.
7—Lily, Westwood, Rondo.
BEST—Certain.

AT HAVANA.

1—Perigourdine, Bengali, Blazing Tyke.
2—Ashburton, Great War, Somersy.
3—Walter Whitaker, Legal Tender, Simple Simon.
4—Ruddles, Mad Mell, Fiotilla.
5—Bonfire, Neenah, Jeanne Nail.
6—Sportiber, Randal, Flying Prince.
7—Yolanda Park, Wells entry, Monahan and Fitzgerald entry, Trevago.
BEST—Sportiber.

AT TIA JUANA.

1—Trouble, Sea Queen, Miranza.
2—A. Lester, Tkash, expo Bells.
3—Dalton, Tubby A., Little Beach.
4—Ebrahim, Frank Fogarty, Zing.
BEST—A. Lester.

THE KENTUCKY OWL

AT TIA JUANA.

1—Mayor Hennes, Tennies, Regular Girl.
2—Dalmeer, Wagner Bells, Cuneo Ball.
3—Ebrahim, Temptress, Vince.
4—Rondy Kreksmas, Fast Boy.
5—Arvoline, Havana Electric, Frank R.
6—The Dictator, The Arrowsmith, Lady Helen.
7—Mary Bunch, Dalton, Tubby A.
8—Ebrahim, Fiotilla, Pierre Lewis.
ONE BEST—The Dictator.
BEST—Mayor Hennes, Trouble.

CONSENSUS OF OPINION

AT NEW ORLEANS.

1—Zanzibar, Quixotic, Bisa Bonilla.
2—Arrow Head, Sam Freedman, Fifty Fifty.
3—Certain, Sweepstakes, Buck Pond.
4—Flintstone, Dr. Clark, Revenge.
5—Lady Madcap, Our Own, Beverwick.
6—Amity Claire, Telescope, Wong Bok.
7—Rondo, Westwood, Honolulu Boy.
BEST—Certain.

AT HAVANA.

1—Perigourdine, Mart O'Mara, Mallowmet.
2—Somersby, Ashburton, Rita M.
3—Simple Simon, Smart Money, Walter Whitaker.
4—Miss Kit, Berretta, Awning.
5—Grandson, Bonfire, Approval.
6—Randel, Spartina, Freeman.
7—Marionette, Sun Maiden, Perhaps.
BEST—Randel.

AT TIA JUANA.

1—Mayor Hennes, Tennies, Seven Seas.
2—A. Lester, Free Cutter, Vesper Bells.
3—Metchoir, Seaway, Pipe Steel.
4—Fal setti, Rumply, Krekmas.
5—Havana Electric, Keep Up End, Marry Burgoyne.
6—The Dictator, Lady Gorham, The Arascian.
7—Dalton, Tubby A., Mart Bunch.
8—Ebrahim, Grattan, Lizette.
BEST—The Dictator.

MURCHISON IS A WINNER BY AN INCH

New York, Feb. 14.—Loren Murchison of the Newark A. C. won the Metropolitan championship for the 100-yard dash defeating Bob McAllister of New York by an inch.

Murchison's time equalled the Metropolitan record by 10 seconds. Bernie Wefers, New York A. C., was third in the race, a feature event at the Samaclar A. A. games in the 22d Regiment Armory.

Abel Kiviat

Lloyd Hahn, B. A. A., won the 1,000-yard run in 2m. 20 3-5s, and defeated George Marsten of Georgetown University. Marsten held the lead until the last few strides. Sid Leslie, New York A. C., was third.

Joie Ray, Illinois A. C., Chicago, won the 1,500-meter race, in which Ray Watson, a clubmate, finished second and Walter Thompson, New York A. C., third. Ray's time was 4m. 4 5-5s.

The Metropolitan 1½-mile championship was won by Andy Craw, Glencoe A. C., in 3m. 52 1-5s.; Pat Kennedy, Knights of Columbus, was second, and Abel Kiviat, Wilcox A. A., third.

Kiviat, ex-Olympic star, who attempted a comeback, set the pace until the stretch, but was unable to match Craw's and Kennedy's sprinting.

From scratch, H. C. Conger, Princeton, won the three-quarter-mile handicap run in 3m. 17s.; F. Hagan, Yonkers, N. Y. High was second, and H. D. Betts, Princeton, scratch, was third.

R. E. Brown, B. A. A., won the two-mile handicap race in 9m. 36 5-5s., and made the best time for that distance so far this indoor season.

SKATING BULLETIN.

Carter Playground	Fair
Charlesbank	Good
Columbus Park	Good
Cronin Playground	Good
Doherty Playground	Fair
William Eustice Playground	Good
Fallon Field	Fair
Franklin Field	Fair
Jamaica Pond	Fair
Marine Park	Good
John W. Murphy Playground	Good
McConnell Park	Fair
Public Garden	Good
Roche Playground	Fair
World War Memorial Park	Good
Tobogganning at Franklin Field tonight.	

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BEST—The Dictator.

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FRENCH QUELL PALATINATE DISORDERS

24 Known Dead in Outbreaks; Quiet Today, but Further Trouble Is Expected

Speyer, Bavarian Palatinate, Feb 14 (A.P.)—French military authorities in the Bavarian Palatinate announced today they had taken measures of repression to meet the situation arising from the disorders at Pirmasens, where 16 persons are known to have been killed and 17 are missing as a result of a rising against the Separatists' regime.

Reports from other quarters show six Separatists killed in a similar rising at Duerkheim, while fears are expressed that a general uprising against the Separatists might break out today.

The military are making numerous arrests in Pirmasens, Kaiserlauten and Zweibrucken. The prisoners are being taken to Duesseldorf, to be tried.

Advices from various parts of the Palatinate reported all quiet this morning.

Coffee Price-Cut Sale

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Coffee Lb. 29c — "Golden Rose" Blend. Sold exclusively at 31c lb. A Pleasing Blend at a Popular Price

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EGGS — "Pine Grove" Fresh Gathered. "PINE GROVE" FRESH WESTERN EGGS 57c doz. 51c doz.

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COCOA "Golden Rose" Pure, ½-Lb. Tin 24c, Lb. 23c

Tomatoes Red Ripe, Reg. Price 11c Can 9c

Preserves "Golden Rose" Pure, Assorted Kinds. Reg. Price 32c 29c

Catsup "Golden Rose" Pure. Reg. Price 25c 23c

Molasses Porto Rico, Gal. 90c, Reg. Price $1.09 53c, ½-Gal. Reg. 59c

Welcome Soap Bar 5½c

Prunes "Santa Clara" Size 90s Lb. 9c

Shrimps "Canton" Brand Can 18c

Salad Dressing "Golden Rose" 8-oz. Jar 23c

Campbell's Baked Beans Can 10c

Marmalade "Golden Rose" Jar 25c

Bacon Machine Sliced Without Rind Lb. 29c

Pillsbury's Best Flour Gold Medal ¼-Bbl. Bag 1.07

Oranges Large, Fancy Florida Doz. 33c

Grapefruit Extra Large, Fine Flavor 25c

Apples Fancy, Baking Size 6 Lbs. 25c

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Bride-to-Be

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MARY BLISS DICKINSON.

Prominent in mother craft movement and author of book on children.

NOTED AUTHOR TO WED RICH MAN OF 80

May Bliss Dickinson to Become Bride of L. Cushman Kimball of Boston

May Bliss Dickinson, author of "Well and Happy," is about to be married.

Announcement of the engagement of the internationally celebrated authority on mothercraft and L. Cushing Kimball, wealthy brother of the late president of the Nashua & Lowell Railroad and trustee of a $7,000,000 estate, will be read with interest in women's clubs throughout New England.

Miss Dickinson, daughter of the late Noah Dickinson of Amherst, is fifty-six years old. Mr. Kimball, of No. 271 Beacon street, is in his eightieth year.

The bride-to-be was for many years a registered nurse. When welfare work was still something new in America she entered the employment of the Dennison Manufacturing Company at South Framingham, always well in advance in the adoption of methods calculated to bring about more harmonious relations between employer and employed, and in the course of this connection developed a keen interest in babies.

About ten years ago, Miss Dickinson founded "mothercraft," the primary purpose of which is the training of girls for intelligent motherhood. The movement spread from State to State and finally was approved and adopted by the General Federation of Women's Clubs.

The mothercraft book, "Children, Well and Happy," published four years ago, has gone through several editions and is in use in Canada and Europe as well as in most of the States of the Union.

Where, when and under what circumstances the author met Lemuel Kimball is not known. Mr. Kimball, notwithstanding his immense wealth, lives unostentatiously. He is a member of the B. A. A. and the Boston Art Club.

AMERICAN EDITORS PAY VISIT TO HAITI

Port-Au-Prince, Haiti, Feb. 14.—The United States Navy transport Henderson arrived here today from Charleston, South Carolina, with 80 American newspaper publishers, guests of Secretary Denby on her way to the Atlantic fleet off Culebra Island. Rear Admiral Frank H. Schofield and Major General John A. Lejeune, commandant of the marine corps, are also on board.

The visitors called on President Borno and Brigadier General John H. Russell, United States High Commissioner. Tomorrow, the visitors will make a trip to the interior and leave at 4 p. m. for Santo Domingo.

2 AUTOS DESTROYED IN CONCORD GARAGE

Fire, believed to have started from an electric heater beneath an automobile, destroyed two automobiles and a garage on the estate of Berkeley Wheeler on Elm street, Concord, early today. The garage is only a few feet away from the Wheeler residence, and for a time the flames threatened to spread to the dwelling

Cable Briefs

Stettin, Germany (I.N.S.).—Police fired on riotous striking dock workers here today, killing one and wounding seven. One policeman was wounded by the strikers.

London—A daughter was born today to Lady Louis Mountbatten, a member of the British royal family.

PRISONERS' RATIONS ARE CUT IN PRUSSIA

Berlin, Feb. 14.—The inmates of Prussian prisons have been put on reduced rations to save expense. They now get only 138 grams of meat weekly, saccharine is substituted for sugar and baths are provided only once in four weeks. Clean linen is issued fortnightly.

Berlin newspapers denounce this means of saving as shortsighted, and contend prisoners will leave the jails worse than when they entered.

LEGION TURNS GUNS ON GEN. J. R. O'RYAN

Washington, Feb. 14 (I.N.S.).—Major-General John R. O'Ryan, chief counsel for the Senate Committee that investigated the Veterans' Bureau scandal, was charged today by the American Legion with using his official position to accomplish the defeat of the bonus. The Legion based its charges on a form letter written by O'Ryan to doctors and lawyers.

TODAY

Continued from First Page.

service between New York and San Francisco.

THAT PIECE of unfortunate, petty narrowminded, short sighted false economy reminds you of the day when members of Congress were defeated for re-election because they voted money "for such a nonsensical scheme as trying to send messages on telegraph wires."

That item of a million and a half for a flying service between New York and San Francisco would be the best possible investment that the country could make. We appropriate tens of millions for old-fashioned ships of the navy and their upkeep. Five millions spent on the development of the flying machine and on marksmanship in bomb-dropping would make our naval collection of floating steel junk unnecessary, and enable us to sink any fleet approaching this shore.

FLYING SHIPS above the water, invisible submarines below the water, will supply all the protection this country needs at sea. And every Congressman that votes against American development of the flying machine votes against the welfare and the safety of his country.

FASHIONS CHANGE even in religion. Things that Robert Ingersoll said while the pious held their breath, and waited for the lightning to strike, are now said in the pulpit.

The Reverend William Montgomery Brown of Ohio, bishop of the Protestant Episcopal Church, is to be tried for heresy. His book classes Buddha, Allah, Jehovah and Jesus in the same class. All, says he, are "versions of the sun myth."

THE FOUNDER of Christianity this Christian bishop classes with "Santa Claus and Uncle Sam," not real personalities but convenient symbols. He says of Jesus: "I doubt that He ever lived." And he still preaches in a Christian pulpit.

SOON THEY will have cut out of the Christian religion everything except perhaps one commandment: "Thou shalt not kill," and then some reformer will arise to say that there are many exceptions to that commandment, proving it by flood, and by Sodom and Gomorrah, but real Christianity is not disturbed by those "modern improvements." On the contrary, the faithful delight in proving that their faith is stronger than anybody's reason, or "higher criticism."

To Stop a Cough

Three Things are Necessary

Grove's Liver Pills

A mild and purely vegetable Laxative which acts on the liver and bowels without griping or disturbing the stomach.

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A high-grade Cough Syrup. Very effective in the treatment of Coughs, Colds and Spasmodic Croup. It relieves throat irritation and heals the inflamed tissues of the throat and bronchial tubes.

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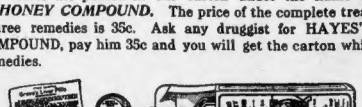
All three remedies are packed in one carton under the name of *HAYES' HEALING HONEY COMPOUND.* The price of the complete treatment consisting of three remedies is 35c. Ask any druggist for HAYES' HEALING HONEY COMPOUND, pay him 35c and you will get the carton which contains all three remedies.



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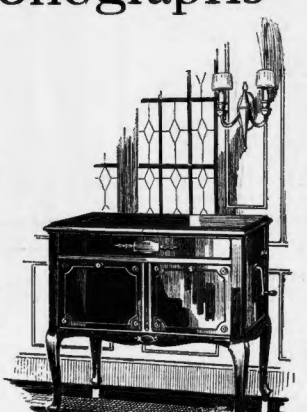

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SECTION 2

'SEER' HAS HUB BLACKMAIL 'SECRETS'

Boston Man Caught in $20,000 Blackmail

TO WED COLT, WHOSE WIFE ACCUSED HER

JESSIE REED

Follies show girl, fiancee of her second husband, Dan Caswell, whose marriage to her cost him inheritance of $1,000,000 if he wed Russell G. Colt, Providence millionaire.

MOSETTE HAS 'GRAFT' EVIDENCE

"Seer" Held in West for Local Police Hints He Holds Blackmail Secrets

San Francisco, Feb. 14.—Thomas O. Mosette, alias Professor Cook, held here on $100,000 bail on wired instructions from District Attorney Reading of Middlesex County, Mass., intimates he has evidence of graft on Boston blackmailers and crooks running into the hundreds of thousands of dollars.

Mosette declares he is being taken to Massachusetts as a witness in a Bay State political feud, which has resulted in the disbarment of former District Attorney Pelletier of Suffolk County, the arrest of former District Attorney Corcoran of Middlesex and the "breaking" of Ponzi's attorney.

Mosette's arrest here is on an East Cambridge, Mass., grand jury indictment charging three larcenies totalling $12,000 in 1912. His defense declared the indictment is a subterfuge, he asserts, a similar indictment was not pressed by former District Attorney Tufts of Middlesex County in 1918.

Mosette, "spiritualistic swindler extraordinary," posed as a "seer" and during the past twenty years is believed to have made more than a million dollars from his victims.

Mosette said:

"If the crime was committed in 1918, as specified in the indictment, why was I indicted in 1923, after a lapse of six years? Doesn't that seem strange, when several district attorneys were in the office in the meantime?

"It would seem that I might have been indicted during this period. And, if I was, what became of that indictment? Inquiry will reveal that it was not pressed. Why? Isn't it a fact that the politicians only want me as a witness in a political fight?"

SOMERSAULTING AUTO LANDS IN RIVER

WHERE ACCIDENT OCCURRED

It took Charles Hargreaves of No. 100 Main street, Medford, the circle less than a second to drive his automobile through a fence and down a 15 foot embankment into the Mystic River at Mystic avenue, near Fremont street, Somerville, and he didn't need any help.

Requirements, six in number, were faced with a different proposition when they tried to bring the car back to the roadway. It took them about an hour to travel the short distance the car had taken in its plunge into the Mystic River, and they were forced to use 100 feet of chain to aid them.

Hargreaves wasn't injured in the crash, although his car turned turtle four times. He was driven from the road by a "road hog," he said.

ARSON CHARGED TO LAWRENCE MANUFACTURER

Prisoner Accused of Setting Cone Factory Fire; 25 Persons Made Homeless

Lawrence, Feb. 14.—Kasper Minasian, half owner of the Lawrence Cone Company, was arrested [illegible] Lowell early today on the charge of arson.

The man was arrested [illegible] following which a few hours earlier [illegible] the two-story [illegible] stairs, which [illegible] to [illegible] two adjoining dwellings, making twenty-five persons homeless.

Two little girls gave the police the tip which resulted in Minasian's arrest.

[illegible] the fire was discovered [illegible] the cone mill [illegible] Patrolmen Matthew A. McDonald and Michael V. Fraser [illegible] a few minutes before the fire broke out they saw a man emerging from this building. The man was carrying a small bag.

ARRESTED IN LOWELL.

The description fitted Minasian. The officers started to the home of No. 78A Lowell street, but he was not there. Soon after [illegible] him, [illegible] in a house at No. 20 Bleachery street, Lowell. In the room was a small bag.

[illegible] Minasian [illegible] Lowell Police Court [illegible] of [illegible] and [illegible] [illegible] he has nothing to do with the fire and was released.

The cone company was located on the second floor of the building destroyed. The first floor was occupied by the Silver Furniture Company. The damage was estimated at $1,000.

[illegible] of the [illegible] were found scattered [illegible] Minasian declared [illegible] was used for [illegible] he had received [illegible] chased.

INVALID IS RESCUED.

Several explosions which occurred while the fire was under way, and which blew out the windows on the second floor of the building were caused by similar cans of kerosene exploding, the police believe.

In one of the two dwellings which were destroyed was Isaac [illegible] confined to his bed by illness. He was carried to safety when the building took fire.

Minasian is being held without bail until his case comes up for preliminary hearing in the Lowell court.

TRAILED BY TRIO TO HOTEL

Attempt to Raise Money to Protect Name Exposes Plot

[illegible], Feb. 14.—Two women and a man were taken into custody in the Norumbega Hotel, had plans laid, according to the police, to "frame" a badger game" for $20,000 on a Boston business man.

The [illegible] was followed here from New [illegible] by two men and a woman. He said he had seen the two men following him in Boston, and was certain when he met one of the women in a corridor of the hotel.

Soon after it was said, the two men [illegible] accused him of making [illegible] to the wife of one and [illegible] that a small child he [illegible] He asked its price and was told $5,000. This [illegible] and was more than he had with him, but that he [illegible] $5,000.

With the view of "raising $5,000," [illegible] Manager Fitzpatrick, who [illegible] [illegible] Superintendent Ahern was said not to be informed that, with only one [illegible] it was possible [illegible] to [illegible] suspects, with a [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

ARTHUR E. DORR AND WIFE TOUR FLORIDA

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur E Dorr of Dorchester have been for the past month touring in Florida. Mr. Dorr is the president of the Arthur E. Dorr Company, provision merchants. He and Mrs. Dorr have spent a few days in Daytona, Ormond, St. Petersburg, Winter Park, Miami, Palm Beach and Pinehurst. They will return in March.

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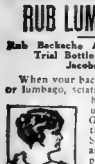

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ELY'S CREAM BALM

SPRAINS WRIST, BUT KEEPS ON WITH FILM

Lois Wilson Slips on Snow-Covered Ground in Making "Ice-Bound" Reels

ANOTHER EXAMPLE of the movie actress' precarious existence! Sprained wrists are rather painful things at times, especially when the owner of the injured member insists on continuing work the entire day. That's what happened to Lois Wilson, Paramount's pretty star in William de Mille's production of "Ice-bound," now in process of filming. The frozen snow-covered ground of the Catskills was the "location," and Lois' dainty footing failed her. Director de Mille shouted "out," but his leading lady overruled and the scene continued. A little adhesive tape and Lois was smiling the next day.

Lois Wilson.

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ELINOR GLYNN had a complete set of "stills" of her picture "Three Weeks" sent from the Goldwyn studios to the Queen of Spain recently. Maybe Alfonzo will stop playing polo for a while.

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IT HAS been announced that diminutive Dorothy Devore, Christie Comedies' latest freckle, is raised to stardom. Her two stellar vehicles will be released through the Hodkinson Corporation. Another story of "from the pie to the feather fan."

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ANNA Q. Nilson is firmly convinced that "Flowing Gold," the Richard Walton Tully picturization of the Rex Beach novel, was a hoodoo picture for her. She had barely entered upon the filming when an acute attack of pneumonia developed, later complicating matters in the course of production. While juggling Milton Sills about, she fractured a rib. And just as she was completing her work on the picture she had to take one of her best friends to the hospital. Now Eric, her handsome young police dog, has contracted distemper, and the forlorn Anna avers ruefully: "I'm sure that picture is a jinx."

Anna Q. Nilson.

QUESTION BOX.

Ask the Motion Picture Editor. He'll tell you anything you want to know about your favorite XX screen star.

Reader of Boston—You might receive a picture of Earl Williams if you wrote to him at his home, No. 418 South Kingsley Drive, Los Angeles Cal.

Miss Shelburne Falls—Jane is the oldest of the Novaks, Lillian of the three sisters and Norma Talmadge is older than sister Constance Helene Chadwick is 34.

I like the Pathe News star, Calvin Coolidge, although I guess Neal Hart is a better cowboy after all.

Kathryn A., same town—Outside of a little quiet shooting here and there, the movie cowboys are very nice. No, I do not know George O'Hara. Yes, he is good looking. Mary Pickford is 31 years old and there is no trouble between her and Doug to my knowledge.

HEARST FRIEND OF MASSES, HYLAN SAYS

Palm Beach, Feb. 14.—At a dinner given by Mayor and Mrs. John F. Hylan in honor of William Randolph Hearst [illegible] Mayor made a short speech [illegible] William Randolph Hearst is the greatest living American. He does more for the cause of humanity than any other individual in the United States. If it wasn't for Mr. Hearst and his papers the plain people of the country would be more extensively exploited by the moneyed interests than they are being at the present time."

GERMAN TOWN HAS NO DEATHS SINCE 1922

[illegible], Baden, Feb. 14.—The village of Altbaisen, near here, has had no death record of German [illegible] for having been in existence in the town since May 23 [illegible]. There are some 400 residents in Altbaisen, the eldest of whom is 87, and still on the job every day as the village cobbler.

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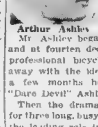
'PAT' IS REPROVED BY HER GUARDIAN

MARION DAVIES IN "OLD NEW YORK"

NOTED ACTOR NOW IN VAUDEVILLE

Arthur Ashley, the hero of many years of melodramatic conflict with bad habits and worse villains in the legitimate drama, is roaming for a new set of artistic thrills in vaudeville. He's at the Orpheum this week and admits that he likes it.



Arthur Ashley.

Mr. Ashley began life in England and at fourteen decided to become a professional bicycle rider. He got away with the idea so well that in a few months he was known as "Dare Devil" Ashley.

Then the drama caught him and for three long, busy seasons he played the leading role in "The Man Who Came Back." Just to show that the legitimate theatre and vaudeville are not his only accomplishments Mr. Ashley confesses to having acted for the films and also taking a fling at directing.

Weds Thrice, Dies at 120

Vienna, Feb. 14—Yussuf Mace Mahmoutban is dead at Yagoubdzo Dagestan at the age of 120, according to a Moscow dispatch. Yussuf married three times, and one of his surviving sons is only seventeen years old.

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REVENUE MEN HALT MAKING OF FILM

Thought Burial in "Old New York" Was Ruse of Rum Runners

Government revenue agents, detectives and reporters searching for [illegible] persons and hard headed old mariners around Sandy Hook were thrown into wild confusion during the filming of a scene for Cosmopolitan's new Marion Davies picture "Little Old New York," now at the Park Theatre, by the mysterious appearance of several canvas wrapped objects, apparently containing dead bodies, which were lowered over the side of a strange, old fourmasted vessel which hovered in sight early in the morning.

The reporters and detectives, who heard of the unusual occurrence, went racing out of the harbor scenting a new murder mystery. Revenue agents looked wise and ordered full steam ahead to block the passage of what they thought was a new way of transferring rum from one vessel to another.

"FUNERAL AT SEA."

"Guess it's a funeral at sea," hazarded one revenue officer as he squinted through the glasses.

"Funeral nothin'," declared the other. "Dead bodies don't float when they're buried at sea and weighted down. Look at that! Floating right over toward the launch out there. It's rum, that's what it is! You can't beat these bootleggers. They're even imitating a funeral at sea in order to get their rum ashore. We'll put a crimp in that little game."

By the time the second strange object had been lowered from the mystery ship and was bobbing over the waves, the keen-eyed sleuths bore down upon them. A trusty little launch, armed with determined agents and automatics, went skimming over the water. The strange craft was hailed.

AGENTS FOOLED.

The agents were confronted with the amused countenance of Sidney Olcott, director of Marion Davies' latest vehicle, "Little Old New York." Miss Davies, herself, was aboard, and the revenue agents had interrupted a tense scene in which the star was weeping over the burial of her little brother at sea.

Several dummies, wrapped in waterproof canvas sacking, were used in the burial scene. As is customary in filming, several shots were made of the scene, hence several dummies were necessary. But instead of sinking solemnly beneath the waves, the "bodies" continued to prance and dance around like corks after they had been lowered over the side of the ship.

The weight of the sacks of dirt attached to each dummy was not enough to overcome the floating qualities of the waterproof canvas. Hence the alarm of the revenue agents, who were sure they had come across a new form of bootlegging.

DISABLED VETS TO HOLD DANCE TUESDAY

Mayor Quinn of Cambridge, State Commander Dr. C. E. Burt of New Bedford and other prominent persons will be guests of Cambridge Chapter No. 16 Disabled Veterans of the World War at its Leap Year dance next Tuesday night in St. Mary's Hall, Cambridge.

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"CHICKIE"

The Beautiful, but Bluntly Honest Story of a Boston Girl

By ELENORE MEHERIN

Seething Life of a Lovely Boston Girl of This Strange Today

Jimmy was the first man who ever asked Chickie to marry him

THE STORY OF "CHICKIE" TO DATE

"Chickie" Bryce is the only child in the family. Her sister having died when she was quite young, the parents lavished all their affection on "Chickie." As the story opens, "Chickie" is attending business college and Arthur Soniag, one of her classmates, takes her to a dance. "Chickie's" father is afraid of the pitfalls ahead for his daughter, but his fears are soothed by the girl and her mother. "Chickie" is thrilled to the core by the dance, and when Arthur kisses her as he bids her goodnight she believes that she has met "her hero." Mary Blake and "Chickie" blandly discuss love and marriage; Mary says it's too sordid for her, but "Chickie" thinks it will be all kisses and "walking on the mountain tops with her lover by her side." However, "Chickie" is disillusioned about a year later, when Arthur passes her on the street and fails to notice her. At eighteen, "Chickie" secured a position in a broker's office. There she met Janina, a girl worldly wise and one who told the other girls how to "handle" the men. "Chickie" went out with several men, but was not impressed by them. Mary Blake's sister, Lucy, married, and with four children, is an object of her sympathy.

CHICKIE could see a strained white line about Mary's lips Her own heart felt like that. She managed to say, with a little high-pitched laugh, "Oh, well; then it's all right, I suppose." But she found it hard to breathe. She wanted to hurry away—not to look at Mary.

Coming to her own steps she had to blink sharply—make her eyes steady.

So Mary didn't go out with them any more. Chickie found her in the late afternoons sitting in the living room, her feet on a chair, the sun streaming over her shoulders. She read a great deal—books that Edward brought.

"I love to sit here and dream," she said, folding her hands as though she never intended to stir again.

Chickie was awed from within Mary's impassive quietude. Often when she found Mary moving about with such heavy effort, she said, "Oh, sit here, Mary. I'll throw the things on the stove." And she dashed about getting Mary's dinner, feeling a wild free joy in her own quietness—her quick, light-some feet.

Exultant

She went home, winged, exulting in each buoyant, elastic step. Oh, it was good to be dashing along light and slim like this—free as the sweet, breezing air. She no longer dreamed of herself setting blue dishes on a table for two.

Jimmy brought her back with a wrench to deeper thoughts. He came over one night in a tight state of suppressed excitement. He blurted out: "What do you think, Chickie—I'm off to Honolulu—"

"Honolulu?" She stared at him and a pang caught her heart. "Not for good. Oh——"

He was standing, holding her hands, looking into her face.

"No—they're putting up a new tannery—I'm going down to give it the once over. Say, that's a trip, Chickie—a whole month there—Say, what about it—well——"

He waited—waited with his eyes pulling her like hooks.

Her lips began to twitch. Jimmy dropped her hands.

"Well—" he said with his back half turned "I'll—I'll come in again—" He went hurrying down the hall. She stood motionless. It seemed as though her pulses all were stilled.

Jimmy closed the door softly. She felt that a moment holy and terrible had come to her. It was passed now and might never come like that again

On the New Road

Janina was the first man who ever asked her to marry him. She let him go away; let the door close softly.

Yet, even as the still hush dropped on her heart she heard in its depths a low singing like the ripple of a woodland stream. Some one loved her—an—loved her so well it made his face all white. Loved her—Chickie—like that.

The elfin joy kept murmuring, awakened in her a serene, blithe assurance. Jimmy loved her, and Jimmy was a big, fine fellow, better than nearly any man she knew.

Unconsciously she was thinking that unconsciously she was comparing others—all the men who came into the office—with Jimmy. Oh—they weren't as tall, nor as quick, nor anything like Jimmy was.

It used to be that when these men stopped at her desk her face would flood with color; her hands fidget. Janina would mock afterward.

Advice

Now she glanced at them quietly. Now, when they asked her to go out, she was not dumb with awe as she had been with Harry Lewis. She thought to herself with a gay flippance, "Oh who are you! Little cricket! Look at Jimmy!"

It gave a happy dash to all her winsome caprice. Janina noticed. "Glad to see you picking up, baby. Not above taking the tips after all, eh?"

It was like a spattering of dirty water on a sheer, white dress. Chickie answered, airily. "Ho! You'd like to know my hidden charm? Come around some night after dark, Janina. I'll give you two and a half ounces of my own secret potion—guaranteed deadly. No man may quaff and survive"

"Thanks, baby. Don't get the fat head. You'll need the whole dose yourself. Besides, I've lots more in the chest where that came from. What does dear papa have to say now that you're stepping out nights?"

Chickie winced. She could feel Janina's hand as though it ripped in and tore a bit of flesh from her heart. She answered, "Nothing that you could understand, Janina"

Yet Jonathan was a sore problem. He had such a way of following her with his eyes from the moment when she stepped into the house. When she was going out he grew silent. As she kissed him good-by he held her hand—often for a minute or two, and kept his head lowered. She couldn't bear that. She wanted, sometimes, to throw off her hat, to say, bitterly, "Oh all right, then—I'll stay home forever"

Because of Jonathan she sometimes made no dates for a whole week at a time. He went about chuckling—full of young spirit. He read his paper then put out his hands, showing the long, tough nails, insisting that she manicure them—shine them up pink like her own. He lay back in his big leather chair, exulting . . .

"Ain't this great, Chickie, girl. Now, aren't you happy? I wish——"

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MEDITATIONS OF A WIFE

By Helen Rowland

THE greatest moment in a man's life is "Next Week."

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"Next Week" The tremendous, vital, epoch-making moment, when he is going to "do something," "start something," "give up" something or STOP doing something.

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When he is going to take up his work at the gym, "no matter WHAT interferes."

Helen Rowland.

* * *

When he is going to walk to the office every day, and get the bracing morning air, if it kills him"

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When he is going right in and see the head of the firm and get "that little raise"—or quit!

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When he is going to get up at seven o'clock, take a stimulating cold plunge and do his "daily dozen" if it wakes up the whole house

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When he is going to get his desk "picked up"—and KEEP it that way!

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When he is going to cut his lunches down—or out (yes, OUT) if necessary—and take off those few superfluous pounds.

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When he is going to read a "good, worth-while book" each week.

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When he is going to write to his mother.

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When he is going to "bank a minimum amount of his salary—yes, by Heaven!—every Monday Morning, NO MATTER WHAT HAPPENS.

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When he is going—to——the——dentist's.

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O halcyon "next week," for whose bright coming every wife lives hopefully on from day to day—from year to year!

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O perfect "next week" when every man is going to begin doing all those things which he should do, and to stop doing all those things which he should NOT do!

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O glorious "next week"—the [illegible] at which we shall find a pot of golden masculine virtue

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WAYS OF A HUSBAND

SEQUEL TO "WHEN A GIRL MARRIES"

By Ann Lisle

Ann Lisle

HE came a little closer and [illegible] a new sweetness made up of equal parts of tenderness and curtness.

"If anybody don't do the right by my Rosa, I don't make to like them. If Jamie was" [illegible]

[illegible] I'm to [illegible] to do. And if the wife of my friend Janina offend my Rosa——"

He stopped and eyed me with a bright yet calm manfulness.

"I [illegible] for the sake of fend you—er Rosa," I cried hastily. "I think it's a wonderful thing for a woman to command such love and loyalty as you do. For that alone I would have [illegible] mire her. And I know [illegible]

"I [illegible] decided [illegible]

"You [illegible] Then we shook hands—a [illegible] of last [illegible] and I [illegible] days left my office [illegible] alone, reconstructing our talk and realizing more strongly every moment what a depth of feeling Rosa Cordova commands from her Ha- mon. I found that I was forced to yield her an unwilling but great [illegible]

I [illegible] grew bitter and resentful. However well Rosa Cor- [illegible] her household affairs, she underwrites the complete devotion he gives her. She twists him ruthlessly around her little finger, she boodwinks him and [illegible] him. But she commands his devotion. I, who am utterly devoted [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

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Tone Improves in New York Market When Pressure of Heavy Selling Lifts

WOOLEN RISES 3 POINTS AND IS ACTIVE

Tone improved in trading on the New York Stock Exchange after the pressure of heavy forenoon selling had lifted. American Woolen was active and up 3. Call money started at 4½ per cent.

Both the Pan-American and Sinclair, reflecting the outlook in Washington and at the Mexican properties, sold off to new lows for 1924.

Fisher Body rose 3 to a new 1924 high. Otis Elevator gained over 2. Lorillard sank over 3 points. Standard Oil of New Jersey and Standard of California sold at new lows for the year. The later rally in the oils was believed due to short covering operations.

Davison and General Electric gained a point.

In Boston American Woolen issues were strong, the common up 3 and the preferred up 1. Initial sale of Japanese 6½s, 1954, was recorded at 92¾, up from the offering prices.

Indications are for heavy oversubscription of the $150,000,000 6½ per cent. Japanese dollar loan, books on which will be opened tomorrow morning. Corporations filed large subscriptions, amounting to several millions each by the Atlantic Corporation, General Electric Co., Western Electric Co. and others. Subscriptions for small amounts were also received heavily.

Japanese Bonds Lead Major Bond Market

Activity in the new Japanese 6½ per cent. bonds, admitted to trading on the New York Stock Exchange on a "when issued" basis, were out standing features of the New York bond market.

Opening at 92¾, ¾ point above the offering price, they advanced to 93⅞ before dropping to 92⅝, with a turnover of about 70,000 in the morning's trading.

At the same time the Japanese first and second 6½s improved to new high levels for the year at 97¼.

The market otherwise was irregular, Atlantic Fruit 7s making a gain of 4 points, with an advance of 2 points in the certificates. Sugar bonds were heavy, with Punta Alegre 7s yielding over 8 but had a point. French municipals lost further ground

$1,000,000 JAPAN BOND SUBSCRIPTION

Gillette Safety Razor Company has purchased $1,000,000 of the new Japanese loan.

POUND STERLING IS QUOTED LOWER

Demand sterling was quoted lower. Latest foreign demands were:

	Wednesday, Parity
Sterling	$4.38¾ $4.86 $4.866
France (French)	.0125⅞ .0844 .1930
France (Belgian)	.0957⅛ .0964⅛ .1930
Lire	.0437⅛ .0435 .1930
Guilders	.3785 .3788 .4020
German marks	*4.650 *4.650 .2380
Roumanian leis	.0071 .0071 .0193
Czecho-Slov kr	.0296 .0296 .2960
Swedish kroner	.2712 .2713 .2680
Swedish kroner	.2651 .2617 .2680
Norwegian kr	.1356 .1353 .2680
Danish kroner	.1327 .1323 .2680
Canadian dollars	1-64 of 1% 1-64 of 1% par

*Mean to the dollar (one 000,000 omitted).

NEW YORK STOCKS

Best Comparative Daily Table Published in New England

1923 High.	1923 Low.	Stock and Dtr. Rate in $	Open.	High.	Low.	3 P.M.	Close
13⅝	6¼	Adv Rumely	10⅞	10⅞	10¾	10¾	
87	67	Adams Ex (5).....	81½	81½	80½	81	
75⅜	56	Air Reduction (4)	70	70	69	70¼	
51⅜	37⅜	Allis-Chalmers (4)	47¾	47¾	47¼	47¾	
69	49	Allied Chem & Dye	70	70	69	69	
26⅛	10¼	Am Ag Chem.....	13½	13⅝	13⅜	13⅜	
63⅜	28¼	Am Ag Chem pf....	38	38	38	38	
49	23	Am Beet Sugar.....	29	29	28½	28½	
67	33⅜	Am Bosch Magneto	35	35	33	35½	
107¾	72⅜	Am Can (6).....	104	104¼	103¼	103¾	
169	140⅛	Am Car & Fdy (12)	169	169	160	160¾	
7⅝	6¼	Am Druggist Synd.	6½	6½	6½	6½	
12⅞	6¼	Am Hide & Lea.....	11¾	11¾	11¼	11¼	
74⅜	29⅜	Am Hide & L pf....	62	62	61	61	
111¾	78	Am Ice (3).....	82½	82½	82½	82½	
82½	16	Am International ..	24¾	24¾	23	22⅝	
38	13	Am Linseed	18⅜	19	18¾	19	
64¾	64¾	Am Loco new (4)..	64¾	64¾	64¾	64¾	
97	76	Am Radiator (4)...	84½	84½	82⅜	83⅜	
9¾	4⅜	Am Safety Razor	6⅞	6⅞	6⅞	6⅞	
37⅛	20	Am Ship & Com....	26¼	26¼	25¾	25¾	
63½	54⅛	Am Smelt & R (6)	58	59	58	58⅛	
102⅞	94	Am Smelt & R pf (7)	99½	99½	99½	99½	
152⅜	130	Am Snuff (12).....	138½	138½	138½	138½	
40⅞	21⅝	Am Steel Fdrs (3).	36¾	36¾	36¾	36¾	
58	44	Am Sugar Ref (8).	56⅝	56⅝	56⅝	56⅝	
24⅝	14	Am Sumatra Tob..	22½	22½	22½	23	
129⅜	119⅜	Am Tel & Tel (9)..	123⅝	124¼	123⅝	123⅝	
164⅜	140	Am Tobacco (12)..	160⅝	160⅝	160⅛	160⅛	
159⅜	140	Am Tob Cl B (12).	147⅜	147⅜	146⅜	147⅜	
64⅜	27⅜	Am Water Works..	43½	43½	43	43	
109⅜	65	Am Woolen (7).....	71⅝	74½	71½	73½	
18⅜	6¼	Am Zinc L & S.....	8¾	8¾	8⅝	8⅝	
13⅜	8¼	Anaconda Cop (3)..	36¾	36¾	36¼	36¼	
18⅜	10½	Arnold Constable ..	11½	11⅝	10	11½	
18	6¼	Assoc Dry Gds (3)..	8	8	8	8	
29¼	24⅝	Associated Oil (1½)	30¾	30¾	30¼	30¼	
103½	94	Atch T & S F (4)..	99⅝	99⅝	99⅝	99⅝	
99⅜	85⅜	Atch T & S F pf (5)	87⅝	87⅝	87⅝	87⅝	
127	109⅜	Atlantic Coast L(7)	116	116	114	114½	
8	5	Atlantic Fruit	6	6	6	6	
26	9¼	Atlantic Gulf & W I	19½	19½	18½	18½	
27	6¾	Atlantic G & W I pf	10¾	10¾	10¾	10¾	
67⅝	63⅜	Atlas Powder new.	63¾	63¾	63¾	63¾	
28⅜	6¾	Auto Knitter H (4)	8½	8½	8¼	8¼	
144¾	110⅝	Baldwin Loco (7)..	127⅞	129¼	127⅝	127⅝	
89⅝	40⅜	Balt & Ohio (6).....	67½	67¾	67¼	67¼	
26	9⅜	Barnsdall Cl A.....	16	16	16	16	
27⅜	12⅜	Barnsdall Cl B.....	13¾	13¾	13¾	13¾	
88¼	43⅛	Beech Nut P (2.40)	52	52	52	52	
71⅞	41⅜	Beth Steel (5).....	59¾	59¾	59¾	59¾	
84⅜	61⅜	Brown Shoe (4).....	61	61	61	61	
121⅜	104⅛	Bklyn Ed El (8)...	113½	114	113½	114	
118¾	94	Bklyn Man Ry.....	105¾	106	105¾	105¾	
128	103⅜	Bklyn Union G (8)	122½	122½	122½	122	
43	21⅜	Burns Bros Cl B(2)	23½	23½	22½	23½	
114¾	100	Burns Bros (10)...	102¾	102¾	102¾	102¾	
11⅜	4¼	Butte Cop & Z (50c)	6¾	6¾	6¾	6¾	
27⅜	12⅜	Butte & Superior..	19	19	18½	18½	
21⅜	13¼	Butterick Co	20½	21	20½	21	
29⅜	17¼	Calif Pet new (1¼)	25⅝	26¼	25⅝	25¾	
18⅜	8¾	Callahan Zinc Lead	9¾	9¾	9¾	9¾	
160	123⅜	Can Pacific (10)..	147⅞	147⅞	146	146	
49½	9⅜	Central Leather ..	17	17	16¾	17	
76⅜	25⅜	Central Leather pf	42¼	42¼	42¼	42¼	
59⅜	36⅛	Cerro de Pasco (1)	47¼	48¾	47¼	48¼	
63	43	Chandler Motor (5)	57	57	56	56	
76⅝	56⅛	Ches & Ohio (4)...	73¾	73¾	73¼	73½	
104⅜	96	Ches & O pf (6⅔)..	103	103	103	103	
83⅜	58⅛	Chi & Alton (3)...	62¾	62¾	62¾	62¾	
68⅜	46⅛	Chi & N W Ill pf...	47	47	47	47¾	
17	7⅞	Chi R I & Pac.....	14¼	14¼	13¾	13¾	
76⅜	11¼	Chi M & St P.....	15¾	15¾	15¾	15¾	
45⅛	20⅜	Chi St Paul pf.....	29½	29½	29¼	29¼	
21⅜	13⅜	Chi St P & Pac....	14⅝	14⅝	14⅝	14⅝	
58	47¼	Chi & N W.....	53	53¼	52⅞	53	
31⅜	24⅛	Chile Copper (2½)	27¾	27¾	27¾	27¾	
31⅜	24⅛	Chino Copper.....	27⅜	27⅜	27⅜	27⅜	
90⅜	76	Chi Pneu Tool (5).	82¼	82¼	82¼	82¼	
74⅜	60	Cluett Peabody (3)	72½	72½	72½	72½	
83⅜	65⅜	Coca-Cola (7).....	74	76¾	74	76¾	
17	11	Columbia Carbon ..	11½	11½	11½	11½	
76⅞

FORBES' VIEWS ON FINANCE

By B. C. Forbes

In the South, Feb. 14.—What is the outlook for business? How have things been going lately? Have conditions and prospects been brightening or darkening? Is Europe any nearer stability, and what of the Labor government in Britain?

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Yesterday, there was a gathering of 630 Texas bankers at Dallas, and I was introduced as a "financial expert," who had been invited to make an address on the business outlook. I began by telling them that the best definition of an "expert" was given me a few days ago by Mayor Wall of Tampa.

"An expert," said the Mayor, "is an ordinary fellow away from home."

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The enterprising Fort Worth Record thus summarised some of the points discussed.

Labor is very well employed at the highest wage in terms of purchasing power. Unquestionably labor's wage ultimately will come down, but this, doubtless, will come through a gradual process coincident with other drops. Labor, therefore, is prosperous.

Agriculture: Conditions in the Northwest have been exaggerated. In a recent tour of that section I was repeatedly told nearly all farmers who deserved to do so pulled through. Industrial and railroad leaders agreed that many of those who failed were wheat farmers who were too lazy to plant vegetables, raise chickens, develop dairy products or in other ways provide their own table necessities.

Railroads are in the best condition, to my mind. They have been in for twelve to fifteen years. Throughout the South they are infinitely stronger than formerly. The public has experienced a change of attitude toward the rail roads, realizing that no people can travel faster than the country's rails can carry them.

Foreign trade totals are satisfactory. It is not fair to compare them with wartime conditions. When we compare the foreign trade figures of the last year with those of pre-war days, we find no comparison to be satisfactory.

Industry: Both them Steel reaches its low point last September and there has been appreciable improvement in the steel industry since then. Steel is accepted as one of our business barometers.

Building costs in this industry are too high. There is an inevitable reaction to boom conditions, and this will come in the building industry though probably not this year.

We are not certain to get the tax relief that two months ago seemed certain. I recently issued with Secretary Mellon. He said he would not connive at a compromise on his tax bill by tagging on a sales tax to meet a bonus. He indicated that President Coolidge is with him. I asked him what Congress will do. He threw up his hands and said:

"We never can tell what Congress will do now. If we should not get substantial tax reduction, it would be a boomerang. If we do get it, which seems more likely, I think the effect will be electri-"

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The records show that in the past, business has been good oftener than not in Presidential election years.

Foreign affairs: No one can tell

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Do not become alarmed over Ramsay MacDonald's government. It is not at all likely to run amuck.

In a word, the general business outlook has improved since the year opened.

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Boston Curb

Boston Curb quotations follow:

	Latest Price
Ahumada	
Colorado Pacific	
Creole	
Eureka Croesus	1 c
Ely Ex Ext Lap	1 c
Gadsden	85c
La Rose	20c
Premier Farmaster	28c

Points in Wednesday's Market

Total sales—New York, 933,400 shares; Boston, 26,243 shares.

Most active issue in New York—Pan Am. Petroleum B, 55,800 shares; in Boston, Mexican Investment, 2,490 shares.

Total sales—Jan. 1, 1924, to date—New York, 34,447,200 shares; in Boston, 659 825 shares.

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Am Tres	13¾	13¾	13¾	13¾
Am Sugar	96	96	96	96
Am Sugar pf	99	99	99	99
Am Woolen	130	130	129½	130
Am Woolen pf	74¾	74¾	74¾	74¾
Am Woolen pf	100	100	100	100
Arcadian	65¾	65¾	65¾	65¾
Arcadian pf	114½	114½	114½	114½
Arcadian Mex	13	13	13	13
Atlantic Coast Line	104	104	104	104
Atlantic Gulf	14	14	14	14
Atlantic Gulf pf	47	47	47	47
Atlantic Gulf W I	24	24	24	24
Atlantic Gulf W I pf	85	85	85	85
Davis Daly	4¾	4¾	4¾	4¾
Boston & Albany	104	104	104	104
Boston & Maine	24¾	24¾	24¾	24¾
Boston & Maine pf	37	37	37	37
Boston Elevated	57½	57½	57½	57½
Boston Elevated pf	87	87	87	87
Boston & Providence	3	3	3	3
Boston & Worcester	3	3	3	3
Boston & Worcester pf	7	7	7	7
Calumet & Hecla	57	57	57	57
Calumet & Hecla	10	10	10	10
Cambria Steel	40	40	40	40
Cambria Steel	40	40	40	40
Cambria Steel	40	40	40	40

ABOUT YOUR BEAUTY

By Maria Jaritza

Famous Prima Donna of the Metropolitan Opera Company

DURING a recent cold snap when the thermometer was close to zero, an amusing little jingle by "F. P. A." appeared in one of the papers. Doubtless many a person heartily echoed its sentiment. It ran:

"Some like it hot
Some like it chilly.
I think the latter
Are just plain silly."

Certainly the writer brought humor to the weather problem. And a sense of humor is like y to help one through all the ups and downs of the thermometer.

Speaking accurately, however, no one likes "chilly weather." For that word implies weather so cold that it affects one "unpleasantly or injuriously." And not even the veriest cold-air fiend likes to feel "unpleasant."

But for various reasons some of us react much more pleasantly to cold weather than others. If you are in the class of those who do you are fortunate, considering that you may have to face it fre you may have to face it frequently.

In case you shiver and shake and grumble and go about with a red nose and blue lips, freezingly cold hands and feet when ever the thermometer takes a drop—watch out. Neither a red nose nor the pinched look that goes with chill is beautiful. And these symptoms bespeak conditions that are not conducive to the health that underlies beauty.

Comfort is indispensable to beauty and charm. Do not submit to discomfort. That is stupid, instead, eliminate it promptly.

Whatever your problem of physical discomfort may be bring your intelligence and good sense to it and you will have gone far toward helping matters. The woman in normal health can and should be comfortable.

Do you suffer with the cold? Begin today to build up your power of resistance by general care of your health. Sleep more hours and sleep with enough bedding over you to insure comfort.

Breathe deeply. Eat heartily. Do not, for instance, skip breakfast because you are in a hurry. You need the fuel of nourishing food at regular intervals to keep you warm.

Wear warmer clothing if you suffer with cold. Nowadays warm underwear and wool-and-wool stockings, as well as long-sleeved woolen frocks are every bit as good looking as filmy things. Sweaters and scarfs—even overshoes—are being made positively attractive.

You need have no fear of sacrificing appearances by wearing comfortable clothes. In fact you will add infinitely to your attractiveness, for with clothing loose enough for good circulation and heavy enough for warmth you will replace half frozen discomfort with an appearance of radiant well being and the comeliness that goes with it.

Even more important than physical comfort is peace of mind. To attain it you will have to face your troubles. Half of them will upon analysis dissolve into their native nothingness. The rest will decrease to lilliputian importance when you face them fearlessly. And if they can't be remedied entirely, they can always be made lighter with the help of a sense of humor.

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MEDBURY SAYS---

By John P. Medbury

SCIENTISTS claim that heat is the greatest crop producer in the world. This may be true, but you never hear a fireman lying down and taking a nap in front of a burning building.

THE city has its quota of apparatus but no fire has ever got a truck with a hose and a fire.

SO far, a night watchman is the only one who has a right to sleep while on duty.

WHEN a fireman answers an alarm the first thing he does when he gets there is to start putting the blaze out. You never see him winding the alarm clock and putting on a pair of pajamas.

THE chief has other duties at a fire beside telling bedtime stories to his men.

HE may be a fatherly sort of a fellow, but doesn't go around and kiss all the firemen good night.

THEY may be fighting a hotel fire, but that's no sign they have to go up to one of the rooms and lie down.

CAN you imagine a fireman rushing into a burning hotel and leaving a seven o'clock call with the night clerk?

IF heat really made you sleepy, every fireman would have a mattress strapped to his back.

FIREMEN are not supposed to sleep, because if they did, they'd have to go to fires in Pullman cars.

SO the next time you're sitting in front of a grate and begin to get sleepy, just think of the thousands of firemen who are answering alarms all over the city.

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POLLY AND HER PALS

Pa Isn't Getting Off So Easy

By Cliff Sterrett

NOW REMEMBER MRS PERKINS CONCENTRATE UPON THE BEAUTIFUL AND YOU IN TURN WILL BECOME BEAUTIFUL
I GITCHA PUFESSOR
BEAUTY IS AS BEAUTY THINKS. MA
AND REMEMBER THAT UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES ARE YOU TO LOSE YOUR TEMPER AS ANGER IS BEAUTY'S BITTEREST ENEMY
I UNDERSTAND PUFFICKLY PUFESSOR
GOSH! I'VE BURNT A HOLE IN MAW'S PET TABLE COVER
IT WAS PURELY A ACCIDENT SUSIE AN I HOPE Y'AINT SORE
SUTTINLY NOT SWEETIE BY THE WAY MAGGIE YOU AINT INDULGIN IN THIS BEAUTY CULT NO MORE IS YOU?
NOT ME I'M OFF THE STUFF!
WAL WOULD YOU MIND SOCKIN' DEAR GAWL A COUPLA WALLOPS FER ME, BLESS HIS LIL HEART!
CLIFF STERRETT

US BOYS

Emily's Making a Big Mistake

By McNamara

HEY EMILY, HERE'S A 'WALUMTIME' FOR YOU. A GUY PROMISED ME A GUM DROP TO GWE IT TO YOU!
OH, ISN'T THAT LOVELY!
EEK!
HEY YA DAWN FOOL, THAT'S A GOOD 'PATATER' BUG! HE AIN'T SQUASHED A BIT, HERE TAKE HIM, HE'S YOURN!
EEK! EEK!
TOM McNAMARA

GALLAGHER AND SHEAN

(Sing the words to the tune of Mr. Gallagher and Mr. Shean)

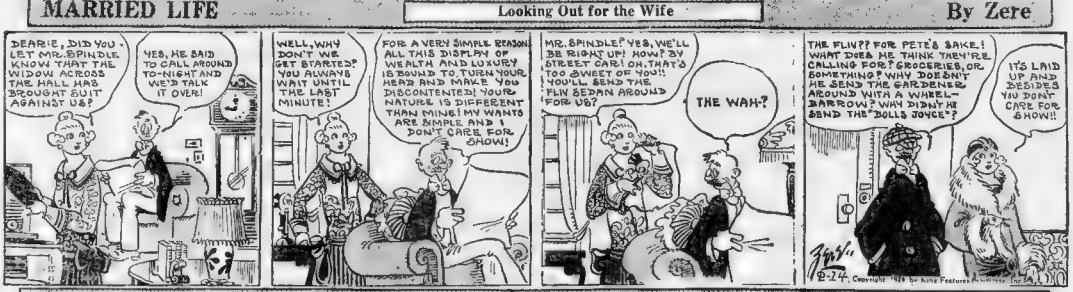
By Jo Swerling

OH, MR GALLAGHER, OH, MR GALLAGHER TELL ME NOW DO YOU BELIEVE IN SIGNS?
I KNOW NOTHING THAT'S MORE WET THAN GOOD OLD CHAMPAGNE, YET YOU SEE THAT "EXTRA DRY" MARKED ON ALL WINES.
OH, MR SHEAN, OH, MR SHEAN THERE'S MANY A QUEERER SIGN THAT I HAVE SEEN.
HERE, ON THIS VERY BOAT, IS A SIGN THAT GETS MY GOAT,
WHAT IS IT, MR. GALLAGHER?
THAT SIGN THERE MR. SHEAN!
NO TIPPING

MARRIED LIFE

Looking Out for the Wife

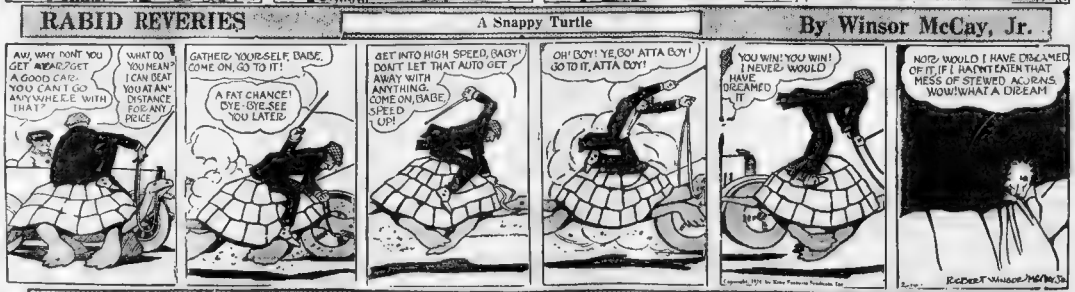
By Zere


DEARIE, DID YOU LET MR. SPINDLE KNOW THAT THE WIDOW ACROSS THE HALL HAS BROUGHT SUIT AGAINST US?
YES, HE SAID TO CALL AROUND TO-NIGHT AND WE'D TALK IT OVER!
WELL, WHY DON'T WE GET STARTED? YOU ALWAYS WAIT UNTIL THE LAST MINUTE!
FOR A VERY SIMPLE REASON ALL THIS DISPLAY OF WEALTH AND LUXURY IS BOUND TO TURN YOUR HEAD AND MAKE YOU DISCONTENTED! YOUR NATURE IS DIFFERENT THAN MINE! MY WANTS ARE SIMPLE AND I DON'T CARE FOR SHOW!
MR. SPINDLE? YES, WE'LL BE RIGHT UP! NOW? BY STREET CAR! OH, THAT'S TOO SWEET OF YOU!! YOU'LL SEND THE FLIV SEDAN AROUND FOR US?
THE WAH-?
THE FLIV?? FOR PETE'S SAKE! WHAT DOES HE THINK THEY'RE CALLING FOR? GROCERIES, OR SOMETHING? WHY DOESN'T HE SEND THE CARDINER AROUND WITH A WHEEL-BARROW? WHY DIDN'T HE SEND THE "DOLLS JOYCE"?
IT'S LAID UP AND BESIDES YOU DON'T CARE FOR SHOW!!

RABID REVERIES

A Snappy Turtle

By Winsor McCay, Jr.


AW, WHY DON'T YOU GET AWAY? GET A GOOD CAR. YOU CAN'T GO ANYWHERE WITH THAT!
WHAT DO YOU MEAN? I CAN BEAT YOU AT AN' DISTANCE FOR ANY PRICE
GATHER YOURSELF, BABE, COME ON, GO TO IT!
A FAT CHANCE! BYE-BYE-SEE YOU LATER
GET INTO HIGH SPEED, BABY! DON'T LET THAT AUTO GET AWAY WITH ANYTHING. COME ON, BABE, SPEED UP!
OH! BOY! YE, GO! ATTA BOY! GO TO IT, ATTA BOY!
YOU WIN! YOU WIN! I NEVER WOULD HAVE DREAMED IT
NOW, WOULD I HAVE DREAMED OF IT, IF I HAVN'T EATEN THAT MESS OF STEWED ACARNS. WOW! WHAT A DREAM
ROBERT WINSOR McCAY JR.

THE NEWLYWEDS

Looks Like Lovey's Out All Around

By Charles McManus

I'M AWFULLY GLAD, LOVEY, THAT YOU ARE GOING TO STAY HOME AND PLAY WITH SNOOKUMS
HELLO! IS THIS YOU, BOSS? WELL I WON'T BE DOWN TO DAY, I'M SPENDING THE DAY WITH MY BABY.
WHY BABY! WHAT'S THE MATTER?
BY GEORGE? HE DOESN'T WANT ME AROUND THE HOUSE.
WELL, AS LONG AS I'M NOT WELCOME AT HOME, I'LL GO TO THE OFFICE AND WORK.
HELLO BOSS? DECIDED TO COME TO WORK.
YOU'RE TOO LATE. I PUT ANOTHER MAN IN YOUR PLACE.

ADVICE TO LOVELORN

By Beatrice Fairfax

Who Holds a Unique Position in The Writing World as an Authority on the Problems of Girls.

CHARM has always been considered as elusive thing, hard to define or explain, harder to acquire if the good fairies did not come to your christening and endow you with it. All women yearn to be "blest with that charm. The certainty to please," and most of them imagine that charm is no more attainable than is the long-sought, never-discovered "Fountain of Youth." But the more I see of life and folks, the more convinced I become that charm is a thing any woman can acquire by the never-failing formula for success—taking infinite pains.

A successful and brilliant man once told me that charm is nothing more or less than grace. A gracious manner, a gracious mind reaching out in interest itself in the thoughts of others, a low, gracious voice and a graceful bearing—given these the man to whom I refer insisted that no woman could fail to be charming.

I know a woman who fitted in with his requirements. Her manner was gracious and friendly. She met folks without self-consciousness or critical reserve. She liked people, and she was so easier to know and help them that she never thought of herself. Her mind took great delight in the ideas and plans of others. She was eager to give her best—but never intent on forcing others to accept what she had to offer. Her voice was low and sweet.

Her carriage and bearing were noble. Having neither beauty nor brilliancy, lacking height, figure, fine features and lacking money with which to purchase fine clothes, she clad herself in a manner so poised and dignified, so simple and modest that she always was the centre of eager attraction wherever she went.

This woman cultivated her mind and her spirit. She interested herself in the pageant of life as it surged past her.

Though she lacked perfection of face and figure, her absolute daintiness made her appealing and her neatness, spontaneity and grace gave her an arresting charm which many beautiful women lack.

The grace which this woman cultivated is within the reach of any woman who will work for it and bring to her work the illumination of a friendly spirit. For charm is not a mysterious compound of magnetism and beauty and lure. It is the product of a gracious mind—and a friendly spirit. For unless grace is a thing of the heart and soul as well as the body it may fail to produce the charm which wins admiration, friendship and love in a fine crescendo of reward.

My recipe for charm is this (and I've never seen it fail):

Rehearse or train yourself to be graceful when you are alone. Teach yourself to function smooth is. Groom yourself well. And then with the assurance that you are as clean, dainty (dig well trained as possible, go out into the world with an easier friendly de are to see the best in folks.

CORRECT MANNERS

By Mrs. Cornelius Beeckman

DEAR MRS. BEECKMAN:

Kindly advise me what the proper apparel is to wear as a guest to a pageant-review, banquet and dance. I have a black dress (velvet), cap sleeves. Shall I wear long white kid gloves or black and carry a dainty vanity?

J. H.

THIS sounds as if it would be a formal affair, and it would therefore call for evening dress. Wear the most formal evening dress you have—if possible, one without sleeves. A black velvet dress is always effective, I think, and perhaps you could have the sleeves removed. Or perhaps they are so small that they do not take away from the appearance of an "evening" dress. Velvet is a bit difficult to dance in. Wear long white kid gloves. Black are too sombre.

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SMART SAYINGS OF CLEVER CHILDREN

The Boston American will pay $1 for published smart sayings. Address "Smart Sayings," Boston American.

While visiting my sister, a patient in the E. M. G. Hospital in Bangor, recently with my two little girls, they heard the telephone girl instruct me to take the elevator. While riding up one of my little girls exclaimed joyously: "Or, Mamma, isn't it great riding in the Alligator."

MRS. E. P. THOMPSON.
Box 82, East Millinocket, Me.

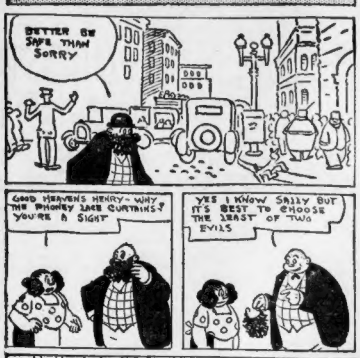
THE BEST JOKE I EVER HEARD

The Boston American will pay $1 for "Best Joke" published. Address "Best Joke," Boston American.

Dill: "Has your wife a recipe for removing spots from clothing?"
Pickle: "I should say she has! She removed two five-spots from my trousers pocket last night."

MRS. EUCLID POTTINGHAM.
No. 16 Prospect street, Syracuse.

HELPFUL HENRY
By Arnot


BETTER BE SAFE THAN SORRY
GOOD HEAVENS HENRY - WHY THE PHONEY LACE CURTAINS? YOU'RE A SIGHT
YES I KNOW SALLY BUT IT'S BEST TO CHOOSE THE LEAST OF TWO EVILS
I'D BE A WORSE LOOKING MESS IF ROUGHHOUSE JONES WERE TO RECOGNIZE ME ON THE STREET
ARNOT

THEN THE FUN BEGAN
By Faber

LET THE WEDDING BELLS RING OUT

WIFE I'M EXPECTING A PHONE CALL THIS EVENING
RING
NO! YOU HAVE THE WRONG NUMBER
SHUT UP!
HA HA HO-HA
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BY HERSHFIELD

DEAR MR KABIBBLE,
EVEN IF I DIDN'T BUY IT, IS THERE A LAW AGAINST DRINKING BOOTLEG WHISKEY?
—B.N.

EVEN IF THERE ISN'T, THERE IS ONE AGAINST SUICIDE !!

BRINGING UP FATHER
This Is Hard Luck
By George McManus

WHAT'S THIS? CORNED BEEF AN' CABBAGE AGIN! THIS IS THE WORST JAIL I WUZ EVER PUT IN!
AN' I HAVEN'T EATIN SINCE YESTERDAY!
I GOT TO GIT PUT IN THAT JAIL AN' GIT SOME OF THAT CORNED BEEF!
BY GOLLY! JIGGS-I'M SORRY YOU GOT PINCHED.
DON'T WORRY ABOUT ME - JUST BRING ON THAT CORNED BEEF!
THERE ISN'T ANY MORE - JUST GAVE THE LAST BIT TO THE BLOOD-HOUNDS!
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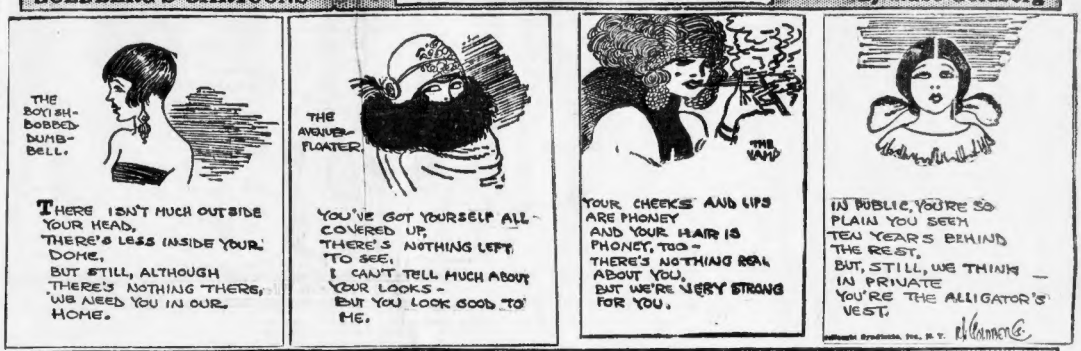
ABIE THE AGENT
Go It Up
By Hershfield

I DON'T WANT TO BE PERSONAL ABE, BUT WE'RE FRIENDS — HOW MUCH DO YOU MAKE A WEEK?
EIGHTY DOLLARS
THE NEXT TIME SOMEBODY ASKS YOU WHAT YOUR SALARY IS, SAY "THREE HUNDRED AND TWENTY DOLLARS A MONTH" — IT SOUNDS LIKE SOMETHING THEN!
HE POSITIVEL GOT RIGHT — IT MAKES A BETTER IMPRESSING!"
STILL WITH THE COMPLEX COMPANY, ABE? — GOOD SALARY, YOU GET, I SUPPOSE??
FOUR THOUSAND, ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY DOLLARS A YEAR!!

GOLDBERG'S CARTOONS
To Our Valentines
By Rube Goldberg


THE BOTH-BOBBED DUMB-BELL.
THERE ISN'T MUCH OUTSIDE YOUR HEAD, THERE'S LESS INSIDE YOUR DOME, BUT STILL, ALTHOUGH THERE'S NOTHING THERE, WE NEED YOU IN OUR HOME.
THE AVENUE FLOATER.
YOU'VE GOT YOURSELF ALL COVERED UP, THERE'S NOTHING LEFT TO SEE, I CAN'T TELL MUCH ABOUT YOUR LOOKS - BUT YOU LOOK GOOD TO ME.
THE VAMP
YOUR CHEEKS AND LIPS ARE PHONEY AND YOUR HAIR IS PHONEY, TOO - THERE'S NOTHING REAL ABOUT YOU, BUT WE'RE VERY STRONG FOR YOU.
IN PUBLIC, YOU'RE SO PLAIN YOU SEEM TEN YEARS BEHIND THE REST, BUT, STILL, WE THINK — IN PRIVATE YOU'RE THE ALLIGATOR'S VEST.

JERRY ON THE JOB
No Detective
By Hoban

HEY - WHERE AT'S YOUR BROTHER?
HE'S 'ROUND SOMEWHERES - DO Y'ALL WANT I SHALL GIT HIM FOR YA?
YEH - TELL HIM I WANT HIM.
VEZIN
I HEAR HOW Y'ALL WAS ASTIN' FOR ME - AIN'T IT SO?
YEH - I SENT YOUR BROTHER TO GET YOU -
KNOW YOU GO TELL HIM I WANT TO SEE HIM TOO.
VEZIN
DID Y'ALL SEND FOR ME?
YEH - BUT NEVER MIND.
ONE OF THOSE GUYS IS TAKING A DAY OFF - BUT DAGGUNIT - I CAN'T PROVE IT.

THE THIMBLE THEATRE
A Trying Ordeal
By Segar

I'VE GOT MY LAST DOLLAR ON HIM, HAM
ME TOO
MY GIANT SOUTH SEA ISLAND WOODPECKER IS IN PERFECT CONDITION, AIN'T HE BOYS?
I'VE GOT TO LAUGH WHEN I THINK OF BLIZZARD GETTING INTO THE RING WITH MY FIGHTER
BLIZZARD, YOUR BAY WINDOW IS GOING TO BE REMOVED!! GET ME?
I HAD THIS STEAM BATH APPARATUS MADE ESPECIALLY FOR YOU
GET READY, YOU FAT LOBSTER, I'M GOING TO TURN THE STEAM ON
YOU'LL EITHER REDUCE OR ROAST
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SEGAR

KRAZY KAT
All Smoked Up
By Herriman

Radio American

Don't Be Selfish!

While you have been enjoying the sporting news, has your wife been reading the Magazine page? Give her that part of the paper.

Is He So Wise?

Somebody said something today that made you think he was a *wise* man. Maybe he read the "Today" column on the first page.

NEW OPERATOR IS WARNED OF INTERFERENCE

Shipping Board Man, Unfamiliar With Regulations, Agrees Not to Repeat the Offence

The operator on the Shipping Board steamer Easterner whose messages seriously interfered with broadcasting a few days ago was unfamiliar with the new regulations against 450 meters. He will not commit the offence again.

The following letter received today from W. L. Tierney, Boston radio supervisor for the Shipping Board, explains the matter:

"In accordance with your request, this office has informed the radio operator on the S. S. Easterner regarding the alleged use of the 450 meters during the broadcasting period on February 8.

This vessel is assigned to the Australian trade and has an exceptionally long turn around period. Furthermore, the operator was assigned at the Australian port, under emergency conditions, and has not been informed as to the new procedure regarding the prohibition of 450 meters between the hours of 7 and 11 a. m.

"We have the assurance of this man that he will be guided strictly by this procedure in the future, and it is therefore the impression that we may anticipate no further difficulty in this connection.

"As we are anxious to further broadcasting in every way possible, we wish to take this opportunity to thank you for your action in having this discrepancy called to our attention."

In view of the recent interference against the use of 450 meters, the American monitor operator will no longer be on nightly duty, but will check up on the observance of the regulations at frequent intervals.

A 600-meter "hump" in the wave of NAD, the Boston Navy Yard, caused some interference with broadcasting last night.

INTERFERENCE LOG FOR FEBRUARY 13

All logged on 450 meters unless otherwise specified.

8.00 p. m.—On watch. Conditions good, except for occasional static crashes.

8.01—Heard NAD, Boston Navy Yard, very strong on 420 meters. This 600 meter radiation from NAD interferes with broadcasting from WJY and various 400-meter stations.

8.10—Quiet.

8.20—Quiet.

8.30—Quiet.

8.38—BUQ, British steamship Norfolk Range, working with ZLQ. British steamship Sultania.

8.50—WBE, United Fruit Company, calling on 600.

8.56—BUG working ZQZ, British steamship Manchester Mariner.

8.59—WCF calling GYFT, British steamship Macabi on 600 meters.

9.10—Quiet.

9.20—Quiet.

9.26—**Broadcasting station of St. Lawrence University at Canton, N. Y., comes in so close to WNAC that it affects WNAC'S quality.**

9.30—Quiet.

9.32—WEAF fades badly

9.40—Quiet.

9.50—Quiet.

9.54—Someone testing.

9.55 to 10—Time signals from WOO, Philadelphia.

10.10—CKY, Montreal, comes through well. (Signing off.)

10.15—Static getting heavy.

10.22—KOZL, American steamship Quaker City, U. S. Shipping Board Shipowners' Radio Service, Incorporated, operator, calling some other station, but couldn't get call letters on account of heavy static

10.30—Quiet. Static very bothersome.

10.40—Quiet.

10.50—Quiet.

11.00—Quiet. Static very heavy Few distant stations obtainable.

Several listeners in Braintree reported that on Tuesday night reception of the President's speech was badly garbled as a result of local interference.

According to reports, this interference has persisted intermittently during the whole Winter, and sounds like a leaky power line or defective rail joints in the trolley tracks. The interference caused to the President's speech Tuesday evening has brought the thing to a head, and several of the town's leading citizens have expressed their intentions of locating the trouble.

The American's monitor station, which is located in Braintree, has referred to this peculiar interference in several of its code logs during December and January.

Accurate— **Radio Programs for Tonight** —*Easy to Read*

WNAC, THE SHEPARD STORES, BOSTON—258 METRES.

4.00—Broadcast from the Shepard Radio Shop—Joe Cook, from "Earl Carroll's Vanities."

4.15—Julini recital—Fela Ryhier, pianist; Allessandro Niecoll, violinist; Miss Madelaine Meredith, accompanist, under direction White Entertainment Bureau.

Piano solos—
(a) "Sonata in Four Flats".....Chopin
(b) "Etude".....Chopin
(c) "Scherzo E Minor".....Chopin
Fela Ryhier

Violin solos—
(a) "Elegie".....Rubelik
(b) "Tarantella".....Dancs
(c) "Tzaica".....Marsick
Allessandro Niecoll

Miss Madelaine Meredith, accompanist

Piano solos—
(a) "Prelude".....Rachmaninoff
(b) "Three Polish Dances".....L. Rozycki
Fela Ryhier

Violin solos—
(a) "Prelude".....Kreisler
(b) "Andante from Concerto".....Mendelssohn
(c) "Zigeunerweisen".....Sarasate
Allessandro Niecoll, violinist.
Miss Madelaine Meredith, accompanist.

5.00—"The Day in France," by the Boston Financial News.

5.20-7.30—WNAC Mid-week dance, Shepard Colonial Orchestra: "In a Covered Wagon," "Nine o'Clock Sal," "Remember," "I Never Forget," "I'd Rather Fox Trot Than Waltz," "Sweet Old Chesapeake Bay," "The One I Love Belongs to Somebody Else," "Baby Brown Eyes" "If You Want to Keep Your Daddy Home," "Dreams," "Drift On," "My Own," "Blue Rose." All dance numbers released through the National Association of Broadcasters, of which WNAC is a member.

WEAN, NEWARK—263.

8.00 p. m.—"After Spanish Days."

8.05—Songs.

8.15—Joseph Macy of the Boston Oratorio, in piano selections.

8.30—Songs, "Old Plantation."

8.45—Martha Unger, pianist.

9.00—Instrumental song writer and vaudeville headliner.

9.15—Talk.

9.30—More music.

10.00—"Georgia Five."

10.30—Signing off.

WEAN, PROVIDENCE—275.

7.00 p. m.—Colonial Orchestra.

8.00—Talk from Boston.

WBAI, CINCINNATI—309.

7.00 p. m.—Classical music at National Paint Manufacturers' Association Hotel Gibson.

7.30—Organ recital from the Cincinnati automobile.

8.30—Eddie Ball and entertainers at Hotel Gibson.

9.00—Orpheus Club concert at Cincinnati Music Auditorium.

WLW, CINCINNATI—309.

11.00 p. m.—Radio poetry contest votes by telegraph. Special prizes to voters. The Cincinnati Conservatory in a special program by the Mu-Phi-Epsilon Sorority. Octets for two violins. Duo. Piano and violin solos.

12.00—Special program by the "Mars' Melody Boys." Midnight concert by the Red Lane Orchestra from the Masonic Dancing Academy of Walnut Hills.

WOR, BUFFALO—319.

8.30 p. m.—Orchestra.

7.30—News and reports.

WOR, NEWARK—405.

6.15 p. m.—Dinner concert by the Fort Pitt Hotel Orchestra.

7.30—Bedtime story for the kiddies. Farmer period, Later from the New England Homestead.

8.00—Concert by the Springfield Conservatory Male Quartet. Frank Chipman, 1st tenor; John G. Merkel, 2nd tenor; Arthur Thouin, 1st bass; William S. Tilton, 2nd bass; Mrs. Charles Markey, accompanist. "Sleep Holy Babe," Quartet; "Tommy Lad," Weatherly, Mr. Chipman; "Silver Threads Among the Gold," Quartet; "Old Black Joe," "Carry Me Back to Old Virginny," Quartet. "Elegie," Massenet, Mr. Chipman. "When You and I Were Young, Maggie," Quartet. "The Two Grenadiers," Schuman, Mr. Tilton. Duet, "In Vive a Tanto," Campbell, Quartet.

9.00—Bedtime story for grown-ups.

9.30—Time signals.

WBN NEW YORK—360.

9.00—Leo Gudis Wigwam Club Orchestra.

10.05—Arthur Mellinger in songs.

10.10—Judith Ruth singing "Colorado" and "Yes Sun a Fool."

10.20—Al Wilson singing "Barefoot Days," and "Kiss Me with Your Eyes."

10.30—San Lazaine Concert Dance Orchestra.

11.00—Moran and Buckley of Tal Bellys Monte Carlo Revue.

11.10—William Bertau, tenor singing "Watch the Moon Rise."

11.15—Matty Levine, piano solos.

11.25—Gertrude Van Dawsen, singing "I Want to Linger Longer with You To-Night."

11.30—William Berkee singing "Somebody's Wrong" and "Irish Mood."

11.40—Rose Fowler Hutton singing "Kiss in the Dark," "Old Fashioned Love" and "Dancing Time."

11.45—Jimmy Doyle and George Rogers, popular songs.

WGY, SCHENECTADY—380.

6.00 p. m.—Bedtime and stock market quotations; news bulletins.

6.30—Dinner concert by Romano's Orchestra. New Numbers Hotel, Tilsary, N. Y.

7.45—Musical program, Adirondack Mountain Moments with New Books." String Quartet, "B-Le-P Quartette," Popular Selections. The Rice String Quartet, Soprano Solo: "The Old Refrain," Kreisler, Mrs. E. H. Clark, Celeste Stowell, accompanist. Soprano Solo: "The Old Refrain," Kreisler, Mrs. E. H. Clark, Celeste Stowell, accompanist. Soprano Solo: "The Wind Rose," Macdowell, Celeste Stowell. Soprano Selection, "I Love and the World is Mine," Manney, Mrs. E. H. Clark, Miss Rogers, violin obligato. Celeste Stowell, pianist. Part II. Piano Selection. "Waltz of the Flowers," Tchaikowsky, Celeste Stowell. Radardo (to be announced). Soprano Selection, "Una Voce," Rossini, Mrs. E. H. Clark, Celeste Stowell, Pianist. Violin Selection "Prelude to the Deluge," Saint-Saens, Miss Rogers, Celeste Stowell, pianist. Programme to be announced. Miss Stowell. Group of Old-Fashioned Songs, Mrs. Clark. Violin Solo, "Andante in D Minor," Mendelsohn, Miss Rogers, Celeste Stowell at the piano.

WEAF, NEW YORK—492.

6.00 p. m.—Talk by Dr. Frank Crane.

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5.30—Talk by Dr. Frank Crane.

5.45—Talk by Dr. Frank Crane.

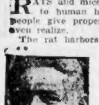
6.00

HOW TO KEEP WELL

By DR. F. X. MAHONEY, Boston Health Commissioner.

RATS and mice are a menace to human health that the people give proper regard to or even realize.

The rat harbors eleven species of internal parasites which also occur in human beings.



Dr. Mahoney.

The rat and the rat flea, which lives in the fur of the rat, are both carriers of disease.

We have always been taught that every living thing has some economic value, but the rat is one element of life form for which no redeeming feature to justify its tolerance has become known.

The ravages of the rat have destroyed more human lives than would comprise a great national army. The economic loss in the United States from the ravages of the rodent family amounts to approximately $2 per person per year.

It is true that our domestic rats, when left alone, are not infected with dangerous diseases, such as the bubonic plague. But thousands of rats are brought to our shores each year from the countries where these diseases exist.

These imported rats, escaping from boats plying to our shores, mingle with our own home-bred pests and thus disease germs are spread.

We feel, because we have never had a plague, that we could not have one.

Medical science knows that once an outbreak of the bubonic plague or similiar diseases were to start in this country, not the most well-versed scientist could tell where it would stop.

Boston receives a great share of the disease-bearing rats of Europe and in this city we should see that every means is taken to curb and kill them.

There are many methods of killing rats. Using traps, ferrets, poisons, rat-proofing of buildings, shooting, fumigation, and so on.

I would not attempt to advise what method to use. Use them all, for the more rats you kill the better.

There should be a continuous warfare on the rat and the flea, and efforts of all citizens and public health authorities should cooperate to drive these pests from our city and our country. There have been cities in this country where the plague rat has been found this year, and it is only by the eternal vigilance of the authorities that these rats are detected.

Leading seaboard cities of the country are now planning intensive campaigns and co-operating with the United States public health authorities to encourage campaigns and measures to trap rats for laboratory examination. It will only be by active work and hearty co-operation of the citizen and the authorities that the plague will be kept from our shores.

QUESTIONS ANSWERED

What is the cause of water which comes from faucet at first as white as milk, then after running some time clears itself?

I think there must be air in the water pipes. T. A.

What can I do for improving hair? I have them all over my neck. T. A.

Remove the hair and then wear soft collars for a few weeks and I believe your trouble will vanish.

What would you advise for chronic bronchial trouble—doctor's treatment or cod liver oil? MRS. E. T.

See a physician again and ask him for some local examination.

Are there any hospitals in Boston where a widow could have X-ray examination and treatment without cost? I think trouble seems to be around the appendix. A. F.

The Boston City Hospital will look after you, and if they deem it necessary will give you an X-ray. The East Boston Relief Hospital may help you.

REBEL REVOLT IS CRUSHED IN MEXICO

War Secretary Says Federals Expect Long Period of Guerilla Fighting, However

Apizaco, Mexico, Feb. 14 (I.N.S.)—Secretary of War Francisco Serrano, speaking for the National Government, formally declared today that organized rebellion in Mexico is ended.

He pointed out, however, that the country must expect guerilla warfare for some time to come, during which the Federals will be engaged in "clean up" operations, chasing and capturing bands of marauding rebels.

Steps are already under way to launch a campaign in the Tuxpan oil fields to disperse the rebel bands operating there.

"President Obregon's government has won because it had the people back of it," declared Serrano. "We expect tranquillity in a few months.

The war secretary dictated the following resume of the national situation:

The rebellion which got under way in the first fortnight of December may be considered practically over. From the start it was purely a military uprising. The forces of the major military chiefs, General Genaro Estrada, General Enrique Estrada and General Fortunato Mayzotte—have been annihilated by loyal troops. Adolfo De La Huerta proved too weak a figure-head for the military leaders.

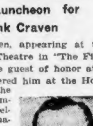
"The forces of Estrada and Mayzotte were routed in battles at San Marcos, Tehuacan, Tepeaca, Elcarmen, Llano, Morelos and Cordoba. Estrada's forces met their waterloo at Ocotlan.

"Simultaneous occupation of Vera Cruz in the east and Guaymas in the west is the best possible demonstration of the energetic action of the government to re-establish peace."

ACTOR HONORED BY FORMER ASSOCIATES

Members of Old Dramatic Club Give Luncheon for Frank Craven

Frank Craven, appearing at the Hollis Street Theatre in "The First Year," was the guest of honor at a luncheon tendered him at the Hotel Touraine by the surviving members of the Melpomene Dramatic Club, an amateur stage society of which gave dramatic performances in old Unity Hall, out in Reading, twenty-five years ago.



Frank Craven

Among those present, in addition to Mr. Craven, were Mrs. F. P. Harvey, Mrs. Jesse Morton and Mrs. Arthur Libby of Reading; Mrs. A. E. Stone of Framingham; Mrs. William H. Parker, Fairhaven; and C. G. House, Brookline.

The gathering was planned as a tribute to Mr. Craven's success, both as a playwright and actor, for he not only plays the leading part in "The First Year," but wrote the comedy as well.

With Walter Pritchard Eaton, the well-known New York dramatic critic, who was at that time living in Reading while pursuing his studies at Harvard, Mr. Craven organized the Melpomene Club among those of Reading's younger set nursing stage ambitions.

Craven was the son of John T. Craven and Ella Mayer, both well-known players, and lived in Reading with a family by the name of Chapman.

Mrs. F. P. Harvey

Mrs. A. E. Stone

Craven was the only member of the club to take up a stage career professionally.

After the luncheon, Mr. Craven entertained the party at the matinee performance of "The First Year" at the Hollis.

HUGHES OPPOSES EXCLUDING JAPS

Washington, Feb. 14.—Sections of the immigration restriction measure pending in the House would operate to exclude Japanese from the country and such exclusion would be "inconsistent" with treaty obligations with Japan, Secretary Hughes contends in a letter to Chairman Johnson of the House immigration committee.

G. H. HOLMES OF RHODE ISLAND DIES

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AYERS—At 24 Webster st., Hyde Park. Mass., Feb. 12, Horace E. Ayres. Funeral services at the Hyde Park Masonic Temple Saturday, Feb. 16, at 2:30 p. m.

BEAL—Elizabeth D. Beal, in her 85th year.

Services at the home of her son, 32 Woodland av., Melrose Highlands, Feb. 15, at 2:30 p. m.

BRENNAN—In the Back Bay, Feb. 13, Catherine Reilly, wife of the late Edward Brennan.

Funeral at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Joseph C. Louisnda, 6 Hayland st., Saturday, Feb. 16, at 9:15 a. m. Requiem mass at St. Cecilia's Church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends are invited to attend. Lawrence papers please copy.

CALLAHAN—In Charlestown, Feb. 13, Anna Elizabeth, beloved daughter of the late Owen and Catherine Callahan (nee Duggan).

Funeral from her late residence, 23 Allston st., Friday, Feb. 15, at 8:30 a. m. Requiem high mass at St. Francis de Sales' Church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends kindly invited.

CORCORAN—In Roxbury, Feb. 13, David, beloved husband of Mary Corcoran (nee O'Donnell).

Funeral from his late home, 75 George st., Friday at 8:15 a. m. Solemn requiem high mass at St. Patrick's Church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited.

ELLARD—In South End, Ellen (Whitten), wife of Thomas Ellard.

Funeral from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Mary Waddleton, 446 Harrison av., Friday, Feb. 15, at 8:15 a. m. Requiem services at Cathedral of the Holy Cross at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

GRANT—In this city, Feb. 12, Eugene P., beloved husband of Mary G. Grant. Funeral on Saturday, Feb. 16, at 2 o'clock, from the late residence of the deceased, 18 Bruce st. Friday, Feb. 15, at 8:30 a. m. Requiem high mass at the Immaculate Conception Church at 9:30 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited.

HANNAN—In Dorchester, Feb. 12, George M., beloved husband of Mary Hannan. (nee Lynch).

Funeral from late residence, 428 Codman st., Friday, Feb. 15, at 8:15 a. m. Solemn mass of requiem at St. Gregory's Church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited. Charter member Mt. Bowdoin Council, No. 280, K. of C.

MANSON—In New London, Conn., Feb. 12, Carrie F., widow of Frederick T. Manson.

Funeral services at the chapel, Woodlawn Cemetery, Everett, Mass., Friday, Feb. 15, at 3 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited.

O'DONNELL—In Marblehead, Feb. 13, John O'Donnell.

Funeral will be held at the residence, 29 Barnard st., Friday at 8:15 a. m. Solemn high mass of requiem at Star of the Sea Church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited. Please omit flowers.

PRIFFER—Feb. 12, Frank A., beloved son of Adolph and Cecilia A. Priffer.

Funeral services at his late residence, 28 Duggan pl., Thursday, Feb. 14, at 2 P. M. Relatives and friends are kindly invited.

TITUS—Feb. 12, Margaret R. Titus (nee Tarbett), beloved wife of Karl K. Titus.

Funeral from residence of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Gilbert, North North st., Medfield, Friday, Feb. 15, at 8:30 a. m. Solemn high mass of requiem at St. Edward's Church at 9 o'clock. Newton papers please copy.

WILSON—In Somerville, Feb. 12, Margaret J., widow of George Wilson.

Funeral services at the home of her nephew, Dr. Dowdell, 445 Broadway, Somerville, Friday at 2 p. m.

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No government ever summarizes its poverty, but what a volume such a report would make.

It is worth while to discuss and to realize what real poverty means. If we can realize its meaning every one of us must be more anxious to relieve, as far as we can, the poverty around us, and especially anxious to work for the social betterment that shall one day wipe out poverty forever.

Poverty means dirt.

The thoughtless and comfortable have a way of saying: "The poor might at least be clean." But cleanliness is a LUXURY; it demands leisure and peace of mind, as well as bathtub, soap, hot water and good plumbing. The very poor cannot be clean.

Poverty means ignorance, and it means ignorance handed down from father to son.

Poverty means drunkenness. The pennies of POOR men and POOR women pay for more than half the vile whiskey, gin and other poisons that men buy to help them forget.

Poverty and its sister, Ignorance, fill the jails and the insane asylums.

Poverty is the mother of disease, and it fills the hospitals.

Tens of thousands of consumptives alone are murdered every year by poverty. They are too poor to do that which is required to save their lives.

The great men of the world do not emerge from poverty, from squalor.

They come from very modest homes, from the log cabin, and from the towpath, as advertised. They come from those whose fathers and mothers and grandfathers and grandmothers had at least enough to eat, and enough fresh air to give them pure blood and proper nourishment for their brains.

Poverty destroys ambition, inventive power, and the capacity to struggle.

A starved body produces a starved brain. The greatest genius that ever lived could not think better than a child of ten if you deprived him of food for ten days.

What can you expect of the inferior minds that have been half fed through a lifetime, or through several generations?

Do you know what made the revolution and changed conditions in France? It was not poverty. Not a single poor man was a leader in that revolution. Every one of them was well fed, had a well-nourished brain—Danton, Robespierre, Marat, Desmoulins, Mirabeau—every one a well-fed brain in a vigorous body.

The labor unions and the great strikes, although sometimes unwise and unreasonable, are great blessings to the nation. They compel the worker to get such pay as will feed himself and his children, giving the nation well-fed brains. The union is the enemy of poverty, and for that reason especially it is an agent for good.

As poverty breeds ignorance, so ignorance breeds poverty. The greatest enemy of poverty is the Public School. Work and vote, therefore, for public school betterment.

Miserable women walk the streets by thousands on cold Winter nights—poverty has put them there.

Hundreds of thousands of children are born only to struggle for a few years through a stunted infancy—poverty digs their graves.

For one genius that has fought and conquered in spite of poverty ten thousand have sunk out of sight in the fight against the worst of enemies.

Don't waste time extolling the blessings of poverty—use your energies to diminish poverty's curse, and to improve humanity by giving it the full efficiency which freedom from worry alone can give.

The great task of humanity is the abolition of poverty.

Run in the Public Interest

How They Handle Railroads in Canada

President Thornton of the Canadian National Railroad, has, among other things, introduced the method of communicating with his men by radio. He is installing in the homes of each of the employes of that far-flung transportation system, mightier by much than the biggest railroad in the United States, traversing the continent from ocean to ocean at the continent's widest part, a radio set. With this wonderful modern instrument he proposes to talk directly to every one of the thousands of men who, like himself, are fellow servants in a great government enterprise. He intends to explain to them his plans, to treat them not as dull, driven soldiers—

"Theirs not to reason why,
Theirs not to make reply"

—but as human beings of intelligence, voters, the uncrowned kings of a democratic community, to whom discipline will be a matter of intelligence and not of awe and fear and terror. He intends every week-end to go over the problems of the road with them, solicit their co-operation, obtain their reaction, explain his problems and generally to discuss the tasks of this great continental enterprise as if those who handle it were all being brought into his business office.

This is the initiative of a government-owned and government-operated railroad. There are those who will tell you that the government has no initiative, that the servants of the government are always stuck in the mud. Nothing is further from the truth. Government officials have initiative and when they are given half a chance will produce for the government what men performing the private functions for private profit will never produce.

President Thornton is working for the public alone, and the American railroad president is not performing his work for the public, but for the stockholders; but he is not even working for his stockholders, he is working primarily for his board of directors; but too often he is not even working for the board of directors, but for that financial agency which controls the board of directors and the interests of which are often as inconsistent with the interests of the stockholders as they are inconsistent with the interests of the public.

This kind of management of our public utilities is responsible for the conditions of our railroads. No initiative has gone into them, not even have they received ordinary railroad management, for the experience of their operators has not been utilized to serve the public, but to serve private interests inside the railroad itself.

I See by the Papers -:- By T. E. Powers

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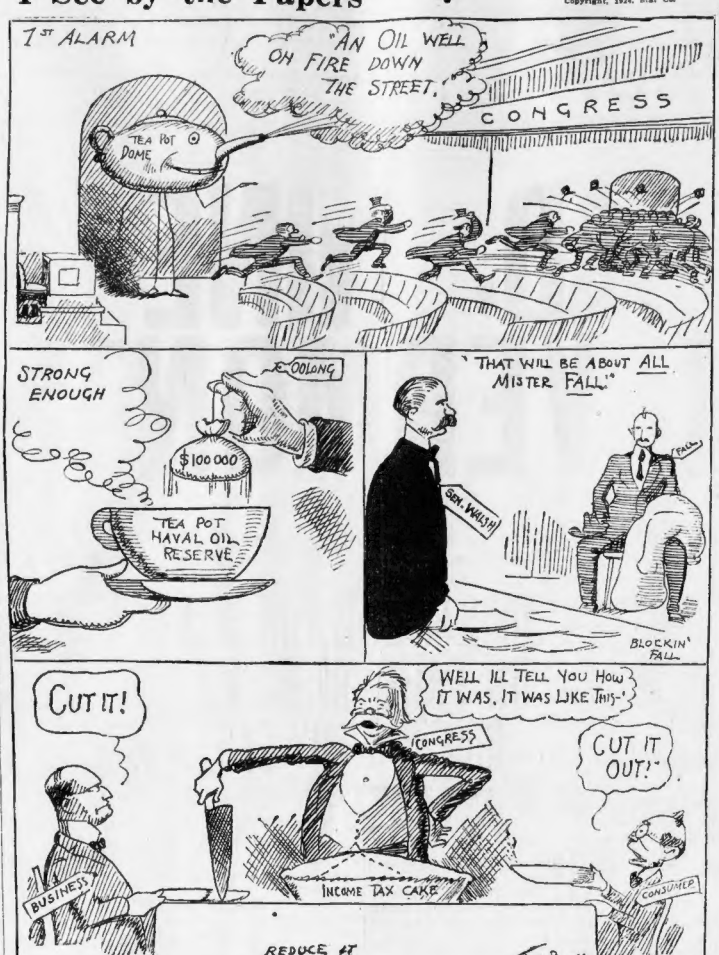

LISTEN, WORLD! -:- By ELSIE ROBINSON

It isn't vicious propaganda or downright untruth that does us the greatest harm—it's false sentimentality. Here's an example of it. In a recent book on professional life occurs this statement: "All women are deceitful. Don't believe any woman but your mother. If she deceives you it is for your good."

That statement is going to be gobbled up as if it were molasses taffy by nine out of ten people who read it. But its reaction will be straight ptomaine, for a sillier or more harmful statement could hardly be issued. We will grant that all women, being human, are more or less deceitful, just as all men are more or less deceitful. But why give Mother's deceit the Pure Food Act Okey? Why conclude that Mother, being a mother, cannot err? By common consent, mothers are so regarded.

A woman in her unmarried estate may be peevish, petty and unkind, but let her once become a mother and she is canonized, and daring, indeed, is the human being who will criticize her. Her petulance and unfairness may continue. They may drive her husband to distraction and make jailbirds of her children. But even as the judge sentences those children to the jute mill he will point an eloquent hand at their Mother and pour forth the vials of his wrath on the offspring who could bring such sorrow to her heart. But the Mother herself is never arraigned. Her meanest acts are excused, or given a kindly significance because they emanate from a Mother. She is exempt from the common rules of good sportsmanship. Laziness, which would cause any working woman to lose her job, is forgiven her, inefficiency is overlooked, lack of self-restraint condoned. She is a Mother.

Now, all this is eighteen-karat bunkum. There is no finer profession on earth than that of mothering. There's no character more beautiful or inspiring than the character of a good mother, nor any service which should be rewarded more highly with love, gratitude and respect. But these rewards are not to be won by the mere act of giving birth. There is no mysterious alchemy in the birth process which will change a common scold into a consecrated saint. The reproduction of the human species is, in itself, no more ennobling than the reproduction of rabbits. It takes much more than the birth function to turn a physical parent into a spiritual guide. Mother needs to "make the grade" just as every other human needs to make it. And she will have just as hard times making it. She is not infallible. Her evasions, deceits and impositions are not always prompted by refined intelligence or superior love. They are quite often prompted by ordinary cowardice, laziness and selfishness.

In their hearts the best mothers know these facts. They aspire to comradeship rather than pedestals. The comradeship may bring criticism, but it is a much more comforting condition for all concerned than pseudo-saintship.

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THE HELPING HAND

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No Food in House

Editor Helping Hand:

Is there anyone can help me? I am working only two days a week and can't make enough that way to provide food for my children. I have four boys, eight, six, three and fourteen months old, and am expecting another child in April. Has anyone any clothes to spare for my children or for me? I take size 38. There is no food in the house and the store won't trust me any more.

T. K.

Clothes for Man

Editor Helping Hand:

I have the following articles of clothing that I will gladly give away if someone will call for them. A man's overcoat and two men's undershirts, size 40; one short girl's jersey coat, size 18; a pair of working pants and a few men's ties.

MRS. P. C.

Thank you. You have been sent the address of Mrs. E. B., whose husband has been out of work for three months and who can use the things you offer.

Her First Request

Editor Helping Hand:

Can any of your readers help me? My husband is out of work and we are in debt. What we need most is a parlor stove, but anything that can be made over for girls two, four and six would be appreciated. My husband is stout and tall and needs underwear and shirts. I take size 42. This is the first time I have asked for help.

A. F.

The Best Way

Editor Helping Hand:

I have some infant's clothes, which I would like to have some mother to have to make use of. This is the best way I know of to get the most use out of everything.

MRS. M. G.

Thank you. We are sending you the address of Mrs. W. J. C., who has six "steps and stairs," as she calls them, and is expecting the seventh.

Needs Baby Carriage

Editor Helping Hand:

I need a baby carriage very badly, but as my husband has been out of work since October I can't afford to buy one. I had a premature baby who weighed only three pounds and can't buy one thing for her. I long to get a carriage with a top—my baby is so small she must be well pro-

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DR. FRANK CRANE ON THE FOUNTAIN OF ART

By Dr. Frank Crane

THE fountain of the best art is the common people.

The art of the past such as that of Michaelangelo or Raphael was based upon the interpretation of the life of exceptional people. The old masters rarely condescended to paint the portrait of any person of lower grade than an ambassador or a saint.

The art of the future will be as much superior to this as democracy is superior to any sort of exclusiveness.

Dickens discovered that the annals of little folk had more abiding interest than the annals of kings and courts.

That the drama and fiction of today is on the right road toward excellence is indicated by the strong tendency to go back to the commons for subject matter. Such books as Anzia Yezierska's, "Children of Loneliness"; Homer Croy's, "West of the Water Tower"; Fannie Hurst's, "Lummox," and the vogue which these writings have attained show that, after all, the public is more interested in the public than it is in millionaires, grand dukes and geniuses.

Just plain common folks are the most interesting people in the world.

Several plays of this season strikingly illustrate this.

The play called "Sun-up" portrays life among the Southern whites, life in its crudest, most elemental form. It is tremendous.

The play called "Hell Bent fer Heaven," handles the same material with a powerful, dramatic effect.

"Roseanne," is a portrayal of negro life. And the negro in America offers what is perhaps the richest soil of human interest in our country.

One trouble with these plays is that they are too gloomy. There is as much joy, nobility, beauty and humor among the lowly as among the high and mighty. Mark Twain's "Tom Sawyer" and "Huckleberry Finn" have as much reality and warmth in them and are much better art, because they better minister to the reader's spirit, than the morbidities of Dreiser, Anderson and other writers who prefer to register by producing disgust or pain than by producing pleasure.

The two plays, "Neighbors" and "The Potters" are excellent examples of the cheerful use of the common folk motif.

We would not be construed as claiming that the tragic has no place in literature, but we would emphatically deny that cynical, pessimistic and depressing material has any artistic value whatever, unless in the hands of the artist it is made to reveal something noble, something beautiful. And clouds are as beautiful as sunshine if handled properly.

Such a play, however, as "Rain," has no excuse whatever. In it the ulcers of perversion are shown without one redeeming touch of heroism or of any other quality that distinguishes man from the brute, except the quality of sneering, sophisticated, Mephistophilian intellect.

On the contrary there breathes through "Roseanne," "Sun-up" and "Hell Bent fer Heaven," a distinct recognition of the inherent soundness and beauty of human nature all the more striking because it is brought into contrast with the evil weeds of hypocrisy.

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GARRETT P. SERVISS ON FALLING BODIES

By Garrett P. Serviss,

Famous Astronomer and Writer on Scientific Topics of Popular Interest.

AN oversight in a recent article replying to a question about falling bodies, brings me back to the subject not only in order that the error may be corrected, but also because there is much more to be said. The error was in a calculation of the time that would be required for a body to fall five miles (atmospheric resistance disregarded). The time was stated as 162.48 seconds, which is four times too great.

The formula, which was correctively given, is: Time of fall in seconds equals one-quarter of square root of height in feet. In the application the division by 4 was neglected.

To fall five miles under the action of gravity, a little less than 41 seconds would be required. During that time the velocity would increase from 0 to 1,312 feet. But this answer, of course, assumes that the resistance of the atmosphere is negligible, and also that the acceleration of gravity remains the same throughout the whole fall. In fact, gravity would grow slightly "stronger" as the falling body got nearer the ground, so that there would be a little progressive gain in the rate of acceleration. For in a distance of only five miles, however, this need not be taken into account.

Then, again, (there was not room to explain in the former article) owing to atmospheric resistance the time of fall would not correspond very closely with the calculated figures unless the falling body was very dense, and compact in form.

The atmospheric resistance varies with the velocity, the size, the shape, the density of the falling body, the density of the air, etc., and requires for its determination in any case the use of elaborate mathematical, formulas based upon experiments. The circumstances may be such that the resistance nullifies the acceleration, or reduces the motion to a very small velocity. This is shown when a man jumps from an airplane or balloon, with a parachute.

When the umbrella opens out, the increase of the surface presented to the air in proportion to the weight of the falling body becomes so great that the fall is changed into a relatively gentle descent like the slow sinking of a body which is only slightly heavier than the water that it displaces.

A very curious result of the rising air resistance with very high velocity is the slowing down of the motion of a meteorite that strikes into the earth's atmosphere at a low angle. It rapidly loses velocity until at last it drops almost vertically under the force of gravity.

Small meteors are destroyed by the heat of friction long before they can reach the ground, but it is probable that even if they were not thus consumed the arrest of their motion by air resistance would prevent them from striking with velocities much greater than that of falling hailstones. Large meteorites enter the atmosphere with velocities exceeding forty miles per second, when they meet the earth in its course, in which event the spatial velocity of the meteorite is compounded with the orbital velocity of the earth, but this swift motion is quickly diminished during the rush through the air.

I have mentioned the fact that the acceleration of gravity increases with approach to the earth. On the earth's surface it is about thirty-two feet per second. But it falls off with increase of distance from the earth's centre, so that at the distance of the moon it becomes only about one-tenth of an inch. The consequence is that a body falling under the earth's attraction from a great distance in open space would not acquire anything like the immense velocity that would be shown by a calculation based on the assumption that the acceleration was always the same without regard to distance.

In fact, if it fell "from infinity" its velocity on reaching the earth would be somewhat less than seven miles per second. But a velocity as great as that would be attained in a fall of only 4,000 miles, if the acceleration remained always the same as the earth's surface.